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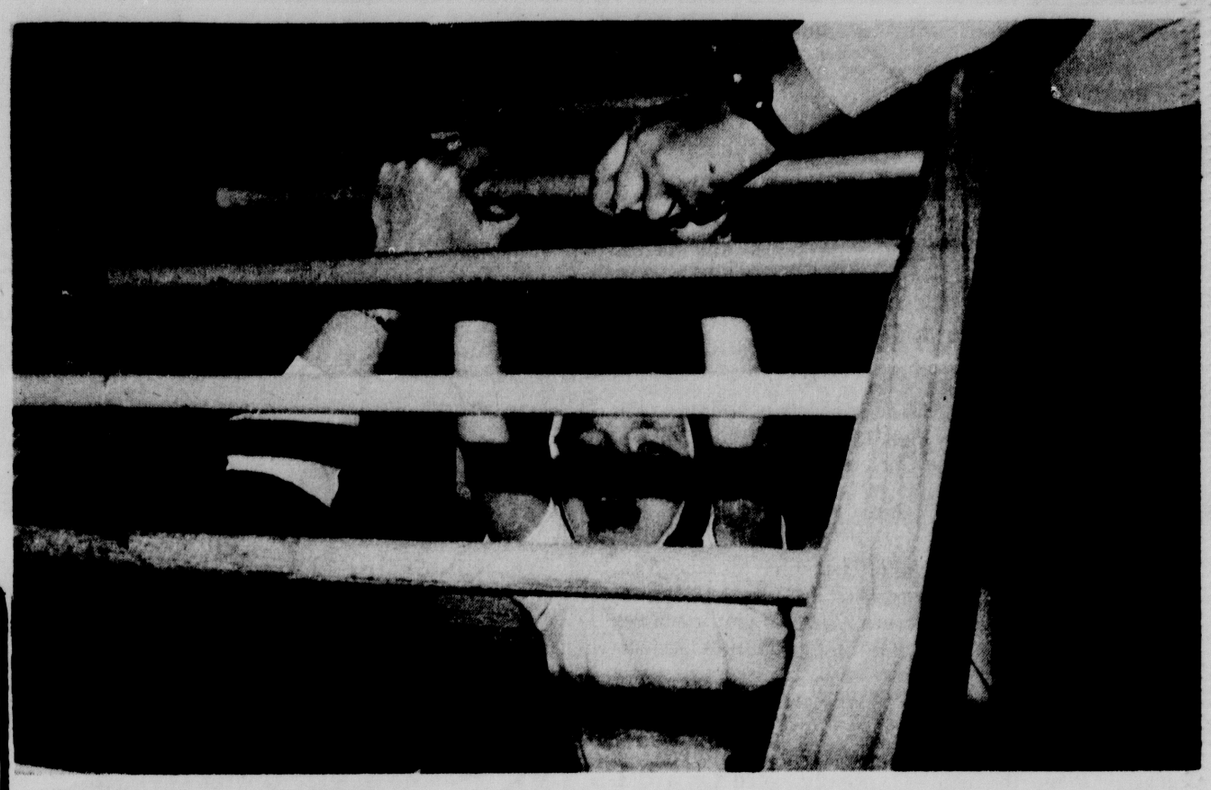
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It's inside. .

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Swine flu shots available Sunday

BENTON — The last mass Swine Flu clinics in Scott County will be held Sunday from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., according to Warren Manning, administrator of the Scott County Health Department.

The clinics will be held at the Sikeston High School cafetorium and the Chaffee Elementary School.

Manning said all persons under 25 years old will need a second dose of the vaccine. At present, he said, there will be no vaccine available for children ages 3-17, except for those chronically ill and they are reminded that a second shot will be needed.

The administrator said volunteers working Sunday are requested to report at noon to help set up the clinics.

He said doctors will be available to answer questions or persons may call for information at 545-3583 or 471-4044.

Drug possession charge for Bloomfield man, wife

BLOOMFIELD — A man and his wife were arrested Thursday night after a search was made of their trailer by members of the Stoddard County Sheriff's Department and the highway patrol.

Charged with possession of marijuana and paraphernelia were Rodger Reisenbichler, 23, and his wife Carla 19, of Dexter Route Three.

The two have been released under $3,000 bond each and are to appear in Magistrate Court on Dec. 9.

The evidence has already been transported to the Regional Crime Lab in Cape Girardeau.

Search and arrest was made about 11:30 p.m. Thursday after a search warrant had been issued.

Thieves take CB, camera

A citizens band radio and pocket camera were taken from an automboile between 10 a.m. Tuesday and 10 a.m. Wednesday, according to the Public Safety Department.

The car belonged to Michael Porter, 904 Crescent Drive. The theft of the CB, worth $169 and the camera worth $20, took place at either Kingsway Mall or the home, police said.

City collector extends hours

The Sikeston Collector's office will be open during the noon hour beginning Monday and will remain open through the month for the convenience of taxpayers, City Collector Ann Elliott said today.

The noon hour opening will apply to the tax collector's office only and will not apply to other city administrative offices.

All tax statements have been mailed. Anyone who has not received one should contact the collector's offices.

8 injured in accidents

Eight persons received moderate to minor injuries in three area traffic accidents Thursday, the highway patrol reported today.

Both drivers received moderate injuries in a two-vehicle accident at 6:45 a.m. at the junction of Highways 142 and 67 at Neelyville. The accident occurred when a car driven by Tommie Thomas Luye, 33, a Naylor Route One woman, pulled from Highway 142 into the path of a car driven south on Highway 67 by Gene E. Becham, 37, of Poplar Bluff.

The woman was taken to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff, and Becham was taken to Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Five persons received minor injuries at 11 am. Thursday, 12 miles northwest of Poplar Bluff on Highway 60 in Butler County when an eastbound car driven by Gloria McCord Bumpus, 41, of Piedmont crossed the center line and sideswiped a westbound car driven by Oneida Burton, 40, of Mill Springs.

The Burton woman and four passengers in her vehicle, Mildred Davis, 23, of Poplar Bluff, Gwinn Burton, 15, and David Burton, 3, of Mill Springs and Joe Bristow, 43, of Poplar Bluff, received injuries and all were taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff except Bristow, who was taken to Veterans Hospital.

A two-car accident at 8:45 a.m., eight miles west of Banner on Highway 32, resulted in minor injuries to the driver of a westbound car, Nella Jereleen Wilfong, 49, of Esther.

The accident occurred when the Wilfong, woman lost control of her vehicle which ran off the icy road and struck an embankment, then came back across the road and struck the side of an eastbound car driven by Ruth May Stevenson, 53, of Viburnum.

The injured woman was not taken to a hospital.

Holt arraigned on murder charge

CARUTHERSVILLE — Winston Eugene Holt, 34, a Bragg City grocer, appeared before Magistrate Sidney Chaffin of Caruthersville Thursday on a charge of first- degree murder.

The judge, however, did not set a date for preliminary hearing in the case, saying he will do so after conferring further with Pemiscot County Prosecuting Attorney Mike Hazel. A spokesman for Hazel said the delay "was a simple matter of arranging a date when a court reporter can be available" to transcribe the proceedings.

The judge left in effect a $25,000 bond imposed at the time of Holt's arrest last Friday. Holt, who is accused of conspiring to kill his wife, was released after posting bond several hours after his arrest.

Holt and Roger Dale Jackson, 18, of Bragg City, are accused of murdering Mrs. Joy Holt, 34, at the couple's home Nov. 24.

Jackson is accused of shooting Mrs. Holt as she returned home from the grocery store about 11 p.m. He is in custody at the Pemiscot County Jail in lieu of bond.

Coroner James Dean of Caruthersville said Mrs. Holt had been shot four times in the back.

Investigators said the grocer was arrested after a 17-year-old female companion of his and Jackson came forward and cooperated with investigating officers.

The female, they said, told authorities she and Holt had been seeing each other for several months and that the grocer had spoken of killing his wife because she would not grant a divorce.

Holt, who has returned to work at the grocery since posting bond, told deputies he found his wife dead in the couple's bedroom after returning home from a basketball game.

It's inside. .

For a schedule of activities during the next week in New Madrid, turn to ... page 3A.

A two-day Mission on Healing and Prayer opens at the St. Paul's Episcopal and First Christian churches. For church news, turn to ... page 7A.

The Sikeston Bulldogs will meet the Charleston Bluejays tonight in the finals of the Sikeston Invitational Tournament. For sports news, turn to ... pages 4B and 5B.

. . *and outside*

Fair to partly cloudy and not quite so cold tonight; partly cloudy and cooler Saturday. Winds tonight from the south 6-12 m.p.h., becoming northwesterly Saturday. Low tonight 25-30, high Saturday 40-45. Precipitation probabilities tonight and Saturday 5 per cent.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Partly cloudy Sunday through Tuesday and continuing cool with chance of rain or snow Monday; highs in the 40's and lows in the 20's.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 41 and 23 degrees.

Sunset today	4:42 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:55 a.m.
The moon is at apogee today and sets tomorrow at	4:54 a.m.

Prominent Star

Capella in northeast and high overhead at midnight.	5:26 p.m.

Visible Planets

Venus sets	7:21 p.m.
Saturn rises	9:36 p.m.
Jupiter in the west	2:51 a.m.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

When there is no womman in the house, the shades remain up all day and the sun has a good time fading things.

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CARTER'S MIDEAST PROBLEM

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat is appealing to the United States for arms assistance. He does so on the grounds that "I have proved myself to you," Simultaneously, he offers to go to a Geneva conference with Israel without preconditions and with an open agenda.

Sadat's appeal and conciliatory spirit demonstrate both the hope and the danger in the current Mideast situation. As an Arab moderate, Sadat is coming under increasing pressure from his military commanders who are disappointed that Cairo's turn away from Moscow and toward Washington has brought no apparent benefits to Egypt.

On the contrary, Israel's position seems as unyielding as ever. When the U.S. recently voted for a U.S. Security Council resolution criticizing Israel's colonization of captured Arab territories, the Israelis reacted with fury. Their position seems to be that the U.S. should continue to sell or give arms only to them — in virtually unlimited quantities — and to give full diplomatic support to almost any policies they choose to pursue.

This will be a major problem for Jimmy Carter. On the one hand, his campaign promises pledged full support for Israel; but on the other, such a U.S. policy runs the strong risk of discrediting the moderate Arabs and of encouraging Israeli hard-liners to stand fast against making any concessions, territorial or otherwise, to the Arabs.

The situation seems genuinely promising this time for an overall peace settlement, but only, we believe, if the U.S. throws its full weight behind it. This inevitably means using some of our leverage on the Israelis. We cannot simply continue to give them a blank check on our support.

It will take a great amount of polititical courage by Jimmy Carter to apply this necessary pressure on Israel. But failure to make any progress now will likely embitter the Arabs and drive them again to desperate measures. We should remember that our increased dependence on Arab oil will make another oil embargo far more serious now than it was in 1973.

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They tell me that the whores are all leaving Washington because they cannot go for peanuts.

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"Ignorant men raise questions that wise men answered a thousand years ago."

Goethe

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"The hardest job of all is trying to look busy when you're not."

William Feather

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BURN DEATHS AND SLACKS

Two John Hopkins University researchers have discovered an interesting correlation between childhood burn deaths and the popularity of girls' slacks.

Burn deaths for both sexes have gone down dramatically in recent years, thanks in part to advances in medical treatment. But the decrease among girls has been even more dramatic.

Until the mid-1960s, girls under 10 had death rates from clothing- related burns that were much higher than for boys. Beginning in the late 1950s, however, the female death rate began dropping more quickly than male rates.

It was about this time, the researchers noted — and confirmed by checking the clothing advertised in mail-order catalogues from 1950 through 1971 — that pants for girls began displacing loose-fitting, easily ignited dresses and nightgowns.

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OFF TO SEA WITH TV

Men who go down to the sea in ships these days take the comforts of home with them.

Officers and crewmen on freighters, tankers and fishing vessels are enjoying entertainment and training programs on color video cassettes designed to relieve boredom on long boyages.

Since installing the first on-board video cassette player in 1972, a company called Marine Video International has added more than 500 vessels to its worldwide roster of subscribers. Exxon alone uses the system on almost 100 tankers.

Programs which the company provides on a rental basis include more than 200 full-length motion pictures, highlights of professional football games and an array of practical training films.

Recently, Zapata Ocean Resources, the world's largest independent tuna fishing fleet, has been installing video equipment aboard each of its vessels as they dock in San Diego, Calif. It reports that the morale of its crews, some of whom can be away from home for as long as seven months, has been running high since they've had television at sea.

After seven months at sea, even a rerun of "I Love Lucy" would look good.

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THE BEAT GOES ON

It's hard to believe, and some people may not want to believe it, but the musical fad which wasn't expected to be anything but a loud, passing fancy has come of age. This year marks the 21st anniversary of rock and roll.

According to rock authority Bob Guccione Jr., publisher of Rock Superstars Poster Magazine, the record that launched the rock explosion was "Rock Around the Clock." It was written in 1954, but didn't take off until it appeared as the theme song of the film, "Blackboard Jungle."

In the context of that film of teen-age rebellion, the song took on a whole new meaning, says Guccione. It became the first song to have a special, defiant meaning for teen-agers

Well, we have had a lot of defiance in the past 21 years and the teen-age rebels of the 1950s are now dealing with teen-age rebels of their own. Maybe someday we will all know what we are rebelling against.

In the meantime, the best, as they say, goes on.



TOMORROW DECEMBER 4— SATURDAY

A NEW SALEM CHRISTMAS. Dec 4-5. New Salem State Park, Petersburg, IL. "New Salem Village prepares for an 1830's Christmas on the prairie by making toys, baking, caroling and visiting all of the many pioneer inhabitants of the village." Info from: Illinois Office of Tourism, 205 W Wacker Dr, Chicago, IL 60606.

BUTLER, SAMUEL: BIRTHDAY. Dec 4. English author, born, Dec 4, 1835. Died, London, June 18, 1902.

CARLYLE, THOMAS: BIRTHDAY. Dec 4. Scottish essayist & historian, born Dec 4, 1795. Died, London, Feb 4, 1881.

CHRISTMAS IN GREENFIELD VILLAGE. Dec 4-Jan 2, 1977. Village buildings decorated according to their period in American history, authentic Yuletide music, demonstrations of holiday cookery and crafts, sleigh rides and carolers recall Christmas traditions of long ago. Info from: Greenfield Village, Dearborn, MI 48121.

COLONIAL DINNER. Dec 4. Mount Vernon, WA. Purpose: In celebration of the holiday season. Authentic colonial menu served by costumed waiters. Dinner open to public, colonial entertainment. Proceeds go toward recreating colonial atmosphere in Mount Vernon, Washington State's 1st Bicentennial City. Info from: George Washington Assn, Paul McCarthy, Box 1776, Mount Vernon, WA 98273.

DAY OF THE ARTISANS. Dec 4. Mexico

GATOR BOWL REGATTA. Dec 4-5. Jacksonville, FL. Two days of sailboat racing in conjunction with other Gator Bowl activities. All classes of sail. Info from: Rudder Club, Box 2361, Jacksonville, FL 32203.

MISSION SANTA BARBARA ANNIVERSARY. Dec 4. Santa Barbara, California. Franciscan Mission to the Indians founded Dec 4, 1786. Present structure is the fourth to stand on same site. Last one destroyed by 1812 earthquake.

NATIONAL FINALS RODEO. Dec 4-12. Oklahoma City, OK. The "Olympics" of the rodeo world, this annual meet pits the top money winners on the rodeo circuit against tough stock in seven standard rodeo events. Info from: Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce, 1 Santa Fe Plaza, Oklahoma City, OK 73102.

OPEN HOUSE OF ANTIQUES & CHRISTMAS CONCERTS. Dec 4-5. Sponsor: Stephen Foster Memorial, Albert B. Head, Dir, White Springs, FL 32096.

ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSIC. Dec 4. El Centro, CA. Sponsor: El Centro Chamber of Commerce, W.G. Duflock, Exec VP, Box 1141, El Centro, CA 92243.

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TOMORROW DECEMBER 5— SUNDAY

CONSTITUTION DAY. Dec 5. USSR.

TENINO WOODEN MONEY DAYS. Dec 5-31. Purpose: An annual event to commemorate the birth of legal wooden money in Tenino, WA, Dec 1931. Individuals can again make purchases with wooden money during the celebration. Info from: Chamber of Commerce, PO Box T, Tenino, WA 98589.

THAILAND: NATIONAL HOLIDAY. Dec 5. Birthday of the King.

VAN BUREN, MARTIN: BIRTHDAY. Dec 5. 8th President of the U.S. born this day in 1782. (Dec 5, 1782-July 24, 1862.)

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POSTING DRUG PRICES

A BILL that would require pharmacies to post the prices of the 100 most frequently prescribed drugs has been deferred by the legislature. It should be passed.

An important point for legislators to remember is the difference between posting and advertising. Pharmacists can advertise prices if they want to. As a general rule, they don't. This newspaper would be adamantly opposed to any bill that would force them to advertise.

Posting would only involve a displayed list of prices. Some chain stores that sell drugs already provide such lists. A major argument against posting is that it would mislead customers. The price quoted on a certain drug, for instance, might be for 100 pills. A patient who needed 50 pills would have to pay more per pill than the list indicated. But surely an explanation of price variations could be included.

The Tennessee Pharmacy Association, while opposing the bill, endorses the principle of informing customers about prices before prescriptions are filled. It has urged pharmacists to do so. Those persons who want to shop around for the lowest prices, it says, can simply ask. But posted lists would seem to be a logical way to improve the information process.

It's also argued that posting would hurt the smaller, neighborhood-type drug stores because they couldn't afford to get into price competition. They charge more than large stores because of the personal services their pharmacists provide. That seems to be an unwarranted worry. Customers who like doing business with a neighborhood store and who appreciate what a pharmacist they know can do for them will be willing to pay for those services.

The purpose of the bill, which is sponsored by Rep. Pam Gaia (D-Memphis), is to help stabilize and even reduce prices. Persons with low incomes and the elderly living on low fixed incomes have been especially hard-pressed by the high costs of prescription drugs. Gaia's bill could help them. That would be worth any minor inconvenience to the pharmacies. But, after the initial adjustment to a posting system, it's hard to see what inconvenience there would be.

Commercial Appeal

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TRAMPLED MORAL

As my son and I watched some ants busily crawling over the ground, collecting and carrying smidgeons of food to their hill, I decided it was a good time to deliver a lecture on industry. "Ants work harder than almost any creature alive," I orated. "All summer long, they keep busy storing up food for winter." Then, thinking I'd made my point, I asked, "And what do you suppose ants get for all the work they do?"

Cynically, the boy answered, "Stepped on."

Margaret Shauers

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WRONG NUMBER

From The Boston Globe

Because everyone is a slave to the telephone, its bell has to be answered, no matter how inconvenient the hour or the circumstances.

When the voice on the other end says "Phyllis?" and there is no Phyllis in the household, the standard reply is, "Sorry, you must have a wrong number." But there are other lines to use in reply to persons who can't read the figures in the phone book. For example:

The brisk male voice says "Extension 487, please."

Answer: "Extension 487 is out of order but I can give you 488. That's a dandy, too."

A woman's voice says "Fred?" Don't say anything, but breathe heavily and suggestively.

If it's a 4-year-old, be very kind to the poor unfortunate. Parents who give babies access to the telephone would let them play with rusty razor blades.

To the request, "Aunt Julia?"

"Aunt Julia is resting. She had only a couple of drinks, but it seemed advisable that she lie down for a bit..."

And if one is in no mood to think up an original reply, he can always fall back on the classic "He ain't in," and hang up quickly.

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COULD BE FEEDING ENEMY WAR MACHINE

We are selling wheat and other grain to the Russians. It probably results in better prices for the farmer who produces it, and that is all to the good.

But people sometimes wonder if, while selling grain to them and helping the American farmer, we are also allowing the Russians to devote less time to food production, and more to their immense and dangerous war machine with which they eventually hope to destroy us.

We don't know the answer, but we do believe it's something to think about.

Paris Appeal

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HEARTS ARE TRUMPS

Tommy was sailing his toy boat in the lake in the park. Suddenly, in the garden nearby, he noticed an old man carefully examining the flowers. Before long the boy and the man, whose name was Mad, had started a conversation, and in the following weeks they often met in the park. One day Mac looked downcast. It seemed that his house had been condemned, and he'd have to live elsewhere. "I'm a loner," he said, "and I'll never live in one of those old folks' homes."

Tommy couldn't forget the look in Mac's eyes when he said that. What about the big room over the garage at home, furnished like an apartment? It used to be called the "guest house," but was now just a storeroom. The boy told his parents about his friend. Soon they met Mac, and when they learned that he'd been a florist, and that he'd be happy to care for their large yard, they were happy to welcome him as a lodger.

Now Mac lives alone over the garage. He cooks his own meals, and reads a lot when he isn't working in the garden. Tommy is 12 now, but there seems to be no generation gap between them. Recently the boy announced proudly, "I want to be a florist when I grow up, like Uncle Mac."

Kathy Tomo

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LOPSIDED STATISTICS

The statement was made by a minister that ninety per cent of the people in jails today are under the age of twenty-five. This brings up a question of why so many young people are breaking laws. Or is it that the older ones aren't being caught because of more experience, or if caught it's possible they aren't being prosecuted. Of if prosecuted they have enough money to hire big attorneys who get them off without jail sentences. We've seen examples of these possible reasons for the high percentage of young people being in jail while older adults go free. We've come to know a lot of people in our half century of life and only a few, very few, we know have never knowingly violated the laws at one time or another. Like the old saying, "Breaking the law isn't so bad, it's getting caught that hurts." If the above statistics are true, then something is terribly wrong in our country that young people under 25 make up 90 percent of the crimes committed. If true, then the unemployment situation is causing a major part of the crime. The young people were the hardest hit by the high unemployment rate.

Shelbina Democrat

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A BITTER snowstorrm filled the day with driving winds, slippery roads and stalled traffic. Toward evening the snow became fluffy, silently piling up on wires and branches.

It stopped around 8:30, so we got in our jeep and made our way down the unplowed hill to a store we knew would be open. Suddenly the moon came out and touched the world with platinum fingers.

When we got to town, everyone was out, shoveling, building snowmen, or just enjoying the loveliness. People were laughing and visiting. It was a Winter Carnival!

The next day the streets were dirty and slushy. People were grumbling. But, for a few magic hours, the spirit of Mardi Gras had come to a small town in New England.

P. Nelligan

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NOT LONG after she was married, a friend of ours set her hair one night before going to bed. She knew her husband disliked her going to bed in curlers, but she had an early-morning appointment and wanted to look nice. After she went to bed and turned out the light, her husband joined her but was unusually quiet. Leaning over to kiss him good-night, she felt something hard and cold. Her husband, a pilot, was lying flat on his back in his flight helmet.

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Margaret O. Willard

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WHEN our car broke down in lower Manhattan, two young men pulled up and quickly made the repairs. They refused a reward, but as they got in their car, my husband rolled up three one-dollar bills and pitched them into their window. Later, their car pulled up by ours at a stop light and a paper airplane came sailing in our car window. It was a note: "Please don't litter—a cleaner New York is up to you." Inside the wings were our three dollar bills.

Stephanie Leo

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I WAS talking to a friend of mine, an elderly farmer, about the theory that plants have feelings. I told him about the way they supposedly respond to love and kindness by growing and thriving, and react negatively to destructive thoughts. He kept looking at me skeptically. After I had finished, he said vehemently, "Well, I can tell you the exception—weeds! The more I hate mine, the healthier they are!"

John Dufur

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OUR newborn daughter was a screamer, and my husband and I suffered considerably. As I was leaving for a much-needed outing, I hinted to my husband that the sound of the vacuum cleaner seemed to calm her. When I returned, I found the baby calm and the vacuum running, but stationary.

The next time I went out, I suggested that he might as well push the cleaner around since it was running anyway. He agreed, though not enthusiastically. When I returned three hours later, I found both my husband and daughter asleep—and a tape recording of the vacuum cleaner roaring away.

Linda Shopmaker

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IN A men's shop, recently, I selected a shirt and was trying to pick a tie to complement it. I had narrowed the field to three, when I noticed one of those ubiquitous television cameras following my every movement.

On impulse I held the shirt and one of the ties up to the camera with a supplicatory motion. I was answered with a negative motion of the camera. The same "headshaking" greeted my offering of the second tie.

A vigorous nodding of the camera indicated approval of the third tie, and with a friendly wave I took my selections to the cashier.

J.P. Embry

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In parts of the South, some churches send out buses to help their members attend services. One Sunday, I was behind one of these buses when two boys, peering out the back window, held up a sign: FORCED BUSING.

P.S. TO THE NEWS

TESTING JIMMY CARTER

By PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY
Copley News Service

John Connally, former Cabinet official and governor of Texas, recently predicted that President-elect Jimmy Carter will be "tested" by the Soviets within the first 90 days of his new administration.

This statement by Connally shows unusual perception about the men in the Kremlin. Those who understand the Communists find it easy to forecast their actions. It is the regular practice of the Soviets to test each new American president to see what stuff he is made of, and whether he can be deceived, brainwashed, pushed, shoved or intimidated by Soviet demands.

Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev tested President John F. Kennedy within five months of his taking office. Kennedy never gave an official report on his private conferences with Khrushchev at Vienna in 1961, but eventually the major facts leaked out. The crude and earthy Khrushchev ranted and raved, bullied and shouted.

He threatened to move against West Berlin with all the might of the huge Soviet conventional military forces. He even threatened the use of nuclear weapons. He reminded Kennedy that the Soviets had developed the world's first ICBM even before they successfully orbited the world's first artificial satellite, Sputnik I.

After making his personal estimate of Kennedy's character and vulnerabilities at Vienna, Khrushchev followed up with an additional test. Through the poet Robert Frost, Khrushchev sent Kennedy a message.

It was a taunt that the United States was "too liberal to fight — even in defense of U.S. vital interests."

When Kennedy made no response, Khrushchev conspired with Cuban Premier Fidel Castro to secretly ship offensive missiles to Cuba, thereby bringing most U.S. major cities within minutes of nuclear incineration.

Gerald Ford was tested by the Soviets three months after he became President. Soviet party boss Leonid Brezhnev invited Mr. Ford to a get-acquainted visit in Vladivostok in November, 1974.

When President Ford arrived, Brezhnev bear-hugged him and then put him through an intensive nine-hour eyeball-to-eyeball negotiating session on strategic arms. Mr. Ford was suffering from fatigue and jet lag after a 17,000-mile trip to the Far East that had been crammed with ceremonial duties.

Brezhnev was rested and relaxed on his own home territory, and was supported by the two most experienced and dishonest negotiators in the world, Andrei Gromyko and Anatoly Dobrynin. Those were the same two diplomats who were publicly denounced by Kennedy for lying to him about missiles in Cuba in 1962.

Brezhnev came out of that smoke-filled room with a SALT II agreement that puts no lid on the Soviet attainment of a first-strike capability against the United States. The Vladivostok agreement will permit the Soviets to MIRV all their giant SS-18 ICBMs plus 1,000 other ICBMs. This total will be more than adequate to knock out all our Minuteman missiles.

To the men in the Kremlin, President-elect Carter is an unknown quantity.

They will surely test him within months of his taking office, probably in an ordeal of summitry, in order to find out if he is made of steel or cotton candy in dealing with the Russians.

To be forewarned is to be forearmed. President-elect Carter needs advisers who have Brezhnev's number, and Connally fits that prescription. It is unlikely that he would be intimidated or ambushed by the Kremlin bullies.

The best appointment Mr. Carter could make would be to name Connally as ambassador to Russia. He would be a good counterweight to Dobrynin.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

The Lost World:
UN Secretary Waldheim plans to give more power to Marxists in Global Government

UNITED NATIONS -- Some of my media colleagues, assigned to cover this glassy, towering political inferno, have gone fawningly native. Stories they overlook, if permitted to float down the neighboring East River, would choke this vast harbor. Thus the highly paid, tax-free UN headquarters staff (the Secretariat) has developed a swaggering elitism which provides cover for a vast patronage pork barrel that would have startled even Boss Tweed. Even Mayor Daley.

United Nation's personnel doesn't pay any federal, state or city taxes -- though their operations cost this town alone over $11 million a year in services and lost realty revenues.

And yet Secretary General Kurt Waldheim insists that the already swollen staff be increased under a new appointment formula.

The effect of his proposed new hiring schedule would be to hand the smallest nations, who are the smallest contributors to the UN operating funds, a "broader desirable range of posts, and to give less weight in such calculations to the amounts which each state contributes to the budget."

This means fewer posts for the U.S., which pays a huge proportion of the big budget, and more for tiny new states with fewer people in their island countries than there are votes in one neighborhood of one congressional district of this host city.

But you haven't seen anything yet. Mr. Waldheim wants to give more seats to some "underrepresented" states. Guess who. Byelorussia, the Ukraine, the German Democratic Republic (Communist East Germany), Communist-occupied Czechoslavakia and the U.S.S.R. What the Secretary General is advocating is simply handing additional UN seats to the Central Committee of the Communist party of the Soviet Union. Few realize that the Russians have three UN votes here -- Byelorussia and the Ukraine, which are two of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and the U.S.S.R. itself. And, of course, there are the seats of Prague and East Berlin, now occupied by well over a score of Soviet army divisions, just to mention a few.

Usually the Secretary General's report is rushed through Committee Five, which controls the "Composition of the Secretariat," during the General Assembly's final days. But this time our American representative is a lady with guts. I'm certain my good friend Ersa Poston, who is black, will forgive the indelicate description. But that's what she has -- guts.

On Oct. 11 she began telling off Secretary General Waldheim. She accused him of "failure to comply fully with his (Waldheim's) paramount obligation under the Charter" to hire the most competent men and women and not surrender to the "crude pressure" from nations seeking jobs for their own citizens.

Mrs. Poston gallantly fought back the ever-persistent tyranny of the majority which seeks to impose a geographic quota and disdains competency.

Quotas based on geographic formulas sould "degenerate into a crude political struggle where the highest standards would be swept aside as considerations of power and influence become overriding," she warned.

She was being diplomatic. She could have charged blithe incompetency, espionage and an uncontrolled system of disbursement.

It's not generally known that most of the budget -- which means scores of millions of American dollars -- goes to the payment of salaries and other personnel costs in the UN headquarters here and at a few outposts, such as Geneva.

And there positively isn't any independent inspection system. Few actually know where all the money goes as should be shown in any ethical audit.

But Waldheim will have his way because this story didn't hit the tube or many press room typewriters. It is much like the un-coverage of an Israeli-Arab debate on Nov. 11 in the Political Committee. Simple democracy and fair play were trampled there that day by nations which talk stentoriously of freedom but kick it around behind the shroud of uncoverage.

The Syrians that day demanded the showing of their film on the treatment of Arabs in Israeli occupied territory. Israel simply asked for the same privilege. Jewish leaders had a film of their own Arab treatment, health services and education.

The Committee's "majority," now a recognizable cohesive propaganda unit barely listened. Then came the vote -- 66 for the showing of the Syrian film only. There were 23 against this denial of democratic processes to Israel and 16 abstentions. The U.S. voted for equal-handedness.

Voting against granting the inherent democratic privilege to Israel were such alleged champions of democracy as the comparatively new regime in Greece, and Venezuela (whose democracy the U.S. helped salvage). Also Turkey and Spain, oddly. And of course Yugoslavia and its new-found ally, the U.S.S.R.

This story, too, didn't hit the tube or typewriters. There's far more than an Arab propaganda victory here. Socrates wouldn't have voted with the majority. He'd have drunk the oil first.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

When there is no womman in the house, the shades remain up all day and the sun has a good time fading things.

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CARTER'S MIDEAST PROBLEM

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat is appealing to the United States for arms assistance. He does so on the grounds that "I have proved myself to you," Simultaneously, he offers to go to a Geneva conference with Israel without preconditions and with an open agenda.

Sadat's appeal and conciliatory spirit demonstrate both the hope and the danger in the current Mideast situation. As an Arab moderate, Sadat is coming under increasing pressure from his military commanders who are disappointed that Cairo's turn away from Moscow and toward Washington has brought no apparent benefits to Egypt.

On the contrary, Israel's position seems as unyielding as ever. When the U.S. recently voted for a U.S. Security Council resolution criticizing Israel's colonization of captured Arab territories, the Israelis reacted with fury. Their position seems to be that the U.S. should continue to sell or give arms only to them — in virtually unlimited quantities — and to give full diplomatic support to almost any policies they choose to pursue.

This will be a major problem for Jimmy Carter. On the one hand, his campaign promises pledged full support for Israel; but on the other, such a U.S. policy runs the strong risk of discrediting the moderate Arabs and of encouraging Israeli hard-liners to stand fast against making any concessions, territorial or otherwise, to the Arabs.

The situation seems genuinely promising this time for an overall peace settlement, but only, we believe, if the U.S. throws its full weight behind it. This inevitably means using some of our leverage on the Israelis. We cannot simply continue to give them a blank check on our support.

It will take a great amount of polititical courage by Jimmy Carter to apply this necessary pressure on Israel. But failure to make any progress now will likely embitter the Arabs and drive them again to desperate measures. We should remember that our increased dependence on Arab oil will make another oil embargo far more serious now than it was in 1973.

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They tell me that the whores are all leaving Washington because they cannot go for peanuts.

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"Ignorant men raise questions that wise men answered a thousand years ago."

Goethe

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"The hardest job of all is trying to look busy when you're not."

William Feather

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BURN DEATHS AND SLACKS

Two John Hopkins University researchers have discovered an interesting correlation between childhood burn deaths and the popularity of girls' slacks.

Burn deaths for both sexes have gone down dramatically in recent years, thanks in part to advances in medical treatment. But the decrease among girls has been even more dramatic.

Until the mid-1960s, girls under 10 had death rates from clothing- related burns that were much higher than for boys. Beginning in the late 1950s, however, the female death rate began dropping more quickly than male rates.

It was about this time, the researchers noted — and confirmed by checking the clothing advertised in mail-order catalogues from 1950 through 1971 — that pants for girls began displacing loose-fitting, easily ignited dresses and nightgowns.

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OFF TO SEA WITH TV

Men who go down to the sea in ships these days take the comforts of home with them.

Officers and crewmen on freighters, tankers and fishing vessels are enjoying entertainment and training programs on color video cassettes designed to relieve boredom on long boyages.

Since installing the first on-board video cassette player in 1972, a company called Marine Video International has added more than 500 vessels to its worldwide roster of subscribers. Exxon alone uses the system on almost 100 tankers.

Programs which the company provides on a rental basis include more than 200 full-length motion pictures, highlights of professional football games and an array of practical training films.

Recently, Zapata Ocean Resources, the world's largest independent tuna fishing fleet, has been installing video equipment aboard each of its vessels as they dock in San Diego, Calif. It reports that the morale of its crews, some of whom can be away from home for as long as seven months, has been running high since they've had television at sea.

After seven months at sea, even a rerun of "I Love Lucy" would look good.

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THE BEAT GOES ON

It's hard to believe, and some people may not want to believe it, but the musical fad which wasn't expected to be anything but a loud, passing fancy has come of age. This year marks the 21st anniversary of rock and roll.

According to rock authority Bob Guccione Jr., publisher of Rock Superstars Poster Magazine, the record that launched the rock explosion was "Rock Around the Clock." It was written in 1954, but didn't take off until it appeared as the theme song of the film, "Blackboard Jungle."

In the context of that film of teen-age rebellion, the song took on a whole new meaning, says Guccione. It became the first song to have a special, defiant meaning for teen-agers

Well, we have had a lot of defiance in the past 21 years and the teen-age rebels of the 1950s are now dealing with teen-age rebels of their own. Maybe someday we will all know what we are rebelling against.

In the meantime, the best, as they say, goes on.



TOMORROW DECEMBER 4— SATURDAY

A NEW SALEM CHRISTMAS. Dec 4-5. New Salem State Park, Petersburg, IL. "New Salem Village prepares for an 1830's Christmas on the prairie by making toys, baking, caroling and visiting all of the many pioneer inhabitants of the village." Info from: Illinois Office of Tourism, 205 W Wacker Dr, Chicago, IL 60606.

BUTLER, SAMUEL: BIRTHDAY. Dec 4. English author, born, Dec 4, 1835. Died, London, June 18, 1902.

CARLYLE, THOMAS: BIRTHDAY. Dec 4. Scottish essayist & historian, born Dec 4, 1795. Died, London, Feb 4, 1881.

CHRISTMAS IN GREENFIELD VILLAGE. Dec 4-Jan 2, 1977. Village buildings decorated according to their period in American history, authentic Yuletide music, demonstrations of holiday cookery and crafts, sleigh rides and carolers recall Christmas traditions of long ago. Info from: Greenfield Village, Dearborn, MI 48121.

COLONIAL DINNER. Dec 4. Mount Vernon, WA. Purpose: In celebration of the holiday season. Authentic colonial menu served by costumed waiters. Dinner open to public, colonial entertainment. Proceeds go toward recreating colonial atmosphere in Mount Vernon, Washington State's 1st Bicentennial City. Info from: George Washington Assn, Paul McCarthy, Box 1776, Mount Vernon, WA 98273.

DAY OF THE ARTISANS. Dec 4. Mexico

GATOR BOWL REGATTA. Dec 4-5. Jacksonville, FL. Two days of sailboat racing in conjunction with other Gator Bowl activities. All classes of sail. Info from: Rudder Club, Box 2361, Jacksonville, FL 32203.

MISSION SANTA BARBARA ANNIVERSARY. Dec 4. Santa Barbara, California. Franciscan Mission to the Indians founded Dec 4, 1786. Present structure is the fourth to stand on same site. Last one destroyed by 1812 earthquake.

NATIONAL FINALS RODEO. Dec 4-12. Oklahoma City, OK. The "Olympics" of the rodeo world, this annual meet pits the top money winners on the rodeo circuit against tough stock in seven standard rodeo events. Info from: Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce, 1 Santa Fe Plaza, Oklahoma City, OK 73102.

OPEN HOUSE OF ANTIQUES & CHRISTMAS CONCERTS. Dec 4-5. Sponsor: Stephen Foster Memorial, Albert B. Head, Dir, White Springs, FL 32096.

ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSIC. Dec 4. El Centro, CA. Sponsor: El Centro Chamber of Commerce, W.G. Duflock, Exec VP, Box 1141, El Centro, CA 92243.

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TOMORROW DECEMBER 5— SUNDAY

CONSTITUTION DAY. Dec 5. USSR.

TENINO WOODEN MONEY DAYS. Dec 5-31. Purpose: An annual event to commemorate the birth of legal wooden money in Tenino, WA, Dec 1931. Individuals can again make purchases with wooden money during the celebration. Info from: Chamber of Commerce, PO Box T, Tenino, WA 98589.

THAILAND: NATIONAL HOLIDAY. Dec 5. Birthday of the King.

VAN BUREN, MARTIN: BIRTHDAY. Dec 5. 8th President of the U.S. born this day in 1782. (Dec 5, 1782-July 24, 1862.)

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POSTING DRUG PRICES

A BILL that would require pharmacies to post the prices of the 100 most frequently prescribed drugs has been deferred by the legislature. It should be passed.

An important point for legislators to remember is the difference between posting and advertising. Pharmacists can advertise prices if they want to. As a general rule, they don't. This newspaper would be adamantly opposed to any bill that would force them to advertise.

Posting would only involve a displayed list of prices. Some chain stores that sell drugs already provide such lists. A major argument against posting is that it would mislead customers. The price quoted on a certain drug, for instance, might be for 100 pills. A patient who needed 50 pills would have to pay more per pill than the list indicated. But surely an explanation of price variations could be included.

The Tennessee Pharmacy Association, while opposing the bill, endorses the principle of informing customers about prices before prescriptions are filled. It has urged pharmacists to do so. Those persons who want to shop around for the lowest prices, it says, can simply ask. But posted lists would seem to be a logical way to improve the information process.

It's also argued that posting would hurt the smaller, neighborhood-type drug stores because they couldn't afford to get into price competition. They charge more than large stores because of the personal services their pharmacists provide. That seems to be an unwarranted worry. Customers who like doing business with a neighborhood store and who appreciate what a pharmacist they know can do for them will be willing to pay for those services.

The purpose of the bill, which is sponsored by Rep. Pam Gaia (D-Memphis), is to help stabilize and even reduce prices. Persons with low incomes and the elderly living on low fixed incomes have been especially hard-pressed by the high costs of prescription drugs. Gaia's bill could help them. That would be worth any minor inconvenience to the pharmacies. But, after the initial adjustment to a posting system, it's hard to see what inconvenience there would be.

Commercial Appeal

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TRAMPLED MORAL

As my son and I watched some ants busily crawling over the ground, collecting and carrying smidgeons of food to their hill, I decided it was a good time to deliver a lecture on industry. "Ants work harder than almost any creature alive," I orated. "All summer long, they keep busy storing up food for winter." Then, thinking I'd made my point, I asked, "And what do you suppose ants get for all the work they do?"

Cynically, the boy answered, "Stepped on."

Margaret Shauers

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WRONG NUMBER

From The Boston Globe

Because everyone is a slave to the telephone, its bell has to be answered, no matter how inconvenient the hour or the circumstances.

When the voice on the other end says "Phyllis?" and there is no Phyllis in the household, the standard reply is, "Sorry, you must have a wrong number." But there are other lines to use in reply to persons who can't read the figures in the phone book. For example:

The brisk male voice says "Extension 487, please."

Answer: "Extension 487 is out of order but I can give you 488. That's a dandy, too."

A woman's voice says "Fred?" Don't say anything, but breathe heavily and suggestively.

If it's a 4-year-old, be very kind to the poor unfortunate. Parents who give babies access to the telephone would let them play with rusty razor blades.

To the request, "Aunt Julia?"

"Aunt Julia is resting. She had only a couple of drinks, but it seemed advisable that she lie down for a bit..."

And if one is in no mood to think up an original reply, he can always fall back on the classic "He ain't in," and hang up quickly.

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COULD BE FEEDING ENEMY WAR MACHINE

We are selling wheat and other grain to the Russians. It probably results in better prices for the farmer who produces it, and that is all to the good.

But people sometimes wonder if, while selling grain to them and helping the American farmer, we are also allowing the Russians to devote less time to food production, and more to their immense and dangerous war machine with which they eventually hope to destroy us.

We don't know the answer, but we do believe it's something to think about.

Paris Appeal

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HEARTS ARE TRUMPS

Tommy was sailing his toy boat in the lake in the park. Suddenly, in the garden nearby, he noticed an old man carefully examining the flowers. Before long the boy and the man, whose name was Mad, had started a conversation, and in the following weeks they often met in the park. One day Mac looked downcast. It seemed that his house had been condemned, and he'd have to live elsewhere. "I'm a loner," he said, "and I'll never live in one of those old folks' homes."

Tommy couldn't forget the look in Mac's eyes when he said that. What about the big room over the garage at home, furnished like an apartment? It used to be called the "guest house," but was now just a storeroom. The boy told his parents about his friend. Soon they met Mac, and when they learned that he'd been a florist, and that he'd be happy to care for their large yard, they were happy to welcome him as a lodger.

Now Mac lives alone over the garage. He cooks his own meals, and reads a lot when he isn't working in the garden. Tommy is 12 now, but there seems to be no generation gap between them. Recently the boy announced proudly, "I want to be a florist when I grow up, like Uncle Mac."

Kathy Tomo

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LOPSIDED STATISTICS

The statement was made by a minister that ninety per cent of the people in jails today are under the age of twenty-five. This brings up a question of why so many young people are breaking laws. Or is it that the older ones aren't being caught because of more experience, or if caught it's possible they aren't being prosecuted. Of if prosecuted they have enough money to hire big attorneys who get them off without jail sentences. We've seen examples of these possible reasons for the high percentage of young people being in jail while older adults go free. We've come to know a lot of people in our half century of life and only a few, very few, we know have never knowingly violated the laws at one time or another. Like the old saying, "Breaking the law isn't so bad, it's getting caught that hurts." If the above statistics are true, then something is terribly wrong in our country that young people under 25 make up 90 percent of the crimes committed. If true, then the unemployment situation is causing a major part of the crime. The young people were the hardest hit by the high unemployment rate.

Shelbina Democrat

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A BITTER snowstorrm filled the day with driving winds, slippery roads and stalled traffic. Toward evening the snow became fluffy, silently piling up on wires and branches.

It stopped around 8:30, so we got in our jeep and made our way down the unplowed hill to a store we knew would be open. Suddenly the moon came out and touched the world with platinum fingers.

When we got to town, everyone was out, shoveling, building snowmen, or just enjoying the loveliness. People were laughing and visiting. It was a Winter Carnival!

The next day the streets were dirty and slushy. People were grumbling. But, for a few magic hours, the spirit of Mardi Gras had come to a small town in New England.

P. Nelligan

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NOT LONG after she was married, a friend of ours set her hair one night before going to bed. She knew her husband disliked her going to bed in curlers, but she had an early-morning appointment and wanted to look nice. After she went to bed and turned out the light, her husband joined her but was unusually quiet. Leaning over to kiss him good-night, she felt something hard and cold. Her husband, a pilot, was lying flat on his back in his flight helmet.

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Margaret O. Willard

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WHEN our car broke down in lower Manhattan, two young men pulled up and quickly made the repairs. They refused a reward, but as they got in their car, my husband rolled up three one-dollar bills and pitched them into their window. Later, their car pulled up by ours at a stop light and a paper airplane came sailing in our car window. It was a note: "Please don't litter—a cleaner New York is up to you." Inside the wings were our three dollar bills.

Stephanie Leo

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I WAS talking to a friend of mine, an elderly farmer, about the theory that plants have feelings. I told him about the way they supposedly respond to love and kindness by growing and thriving, and react negatively to destructive thoughts. He kept looking at me skeptically. After I had finished, he said vehemently, "Well, I can tell you the exception—weeds! The more I hate mine, the healthier they are!"

John Dufur

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OUR newborn daughter was a screamer, and my husband and I suffered considerably. As I was leaving for a much-needed outing, I hinted to my husband that the sound of the vacuum cleaner seemed to calm her. When I returned, I found the baby calm and the vacuum running, but stationary.

The next time I went out, I suggested that he might as well push the cleaner around since it was running anyway. He agreed, though not enthusiastically. When I returned three hours later, I found both my husband and daughter asleep—and a tape recording of the vacuum cleaner roaring away.

Linda Shopmaker

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IN A men's shop, recently, I selected a shirt and was trying to pick a tie to complement it. I had narrowed the field to three, when I noticed one of those ubiquitous television cameras following my every movement.

On impulse I held the shirt and one of the ties up to the camera with a supplicatory motion. I was answered with a negative motion of the camera. The same "headshaking" greeted my offering of the second tie.

A vigorous nodding of the camera indicated approval of the third tie, and with a friendly wave I took my selections to the cashier.

J.P. Embry

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In parts of the South, some churches send out buses to help their members attend services. One Sunday, I was behind one of these buses when two boys, peering out the back window, held up a sign: FORCED BUSING.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

The Lost World:
UN Secretary Waldheim plans to give more power to Marxists in Global Government

UNITED NATIONS -- Some of my media colleagues, assigned to cover this glassy, towering political inferno, have gone fawningly native. Stories they overlook, if permitted to float down the neighboring East River, would choke this vast harbor. Thus the highly paid, tax-free UN headquarters staff (the Secretariat) has developed a swaggering elitism which provides cover for a vast patronage pork barrel that would have startled even Boss Tweed. Even Mayor Daley.

United Nation's personnel doesn't pay any federal, state or city taxes -- though their operations cost this town alone over $11 million a year in services and lost realty revenues.

And yet Secretary General Kurt Waldheim insists that the already swollen staff be increased under a new appointment formula.

The effect of his proposed new hiring schedule would be to hand the smallest nations, who are the smallest contributors to the UN operating funds, a "broader desirable range of posts, and to give less weight in such calculations to the amounts which each state contributes to the budget."

This means fewer posts for the U.S., which pays a huge proportion of the big budget, and more for tiny new states with fewer people in their island countries than there are votes in one neighborhood of one congressional district of this host city.

But you haven't seen anything yet. Mr. Waldheim wants to give more seats to some "underrepresented" states. Guess who. Byelorussia, the Ukraine, the German Democratic Republic (Communist East Germany), Communist-occupied Czechoslavakia and the U.S.S.R. What the Secretary General is advocating is simply handing additional UN seats to the Central Committee of the Communist party of the Soviet Union. Few realize that the Russians have three UN votes here -- Byelorussia and the Ukraine, which are two of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and the U.S.S.R. itself. And, of course, there are the seats of Prague and East Berlin, now occupied by well over a score of Soviet army divisions, just to mention a few.

Usually the Secretary General's report is rushed through Committee Five, which controls the "Composition of the Secretariat," during the General Assembly's final days. But this time our American representative is a lady with guts. I'm certain my good friend Ersa Poston, who is black, will forgive the indelicate description. But that's what she has -- guts.

On Oct. 11 she began telling off Secretary General Waldheim. She accused him of "failure to comply fully with his (Waldheim's) paramount obligation under the Charter" to hire the most competent men and women and not surrender to the "crude pressure" from nations seeking jobs for their own citizens.

Mrs. Poston gallantly fought back the ever-persistent tyranny of the majority which seeks to impose a geographic quota and disdains competency.

Quotas based on geographic formulas sould "degenerate into a crude political struggle where the highest standards would be swept aside as considerations of power and influence become overriding," she warned.

She was being diplomatic. She could have charged blithe incompetency, espionage and an uncontrolled system of disbursement.

It's not generally known that most of the budget -- which means scores of millions of American dollars -- goes to the payment of salaries and other personnel costs in the UN headquarters here and at a few outposts, such as Geneva.

And there positively isn't any independent inspection system. Few actually know where all the money goes as should be shown in any ethical audit.

But Waldheim will have his way because this story didn't hit the tube or many press room typewriters. It is much like the un-coverage of an Israeli-Arab debate on Nov. 11 in the Political Committee. Simple democracy and fair play were trampled there that day by nations which talk stentoriously of freedom but kick it around behind the shroud of uncoverage.

The Syrians that day demanded the showing of their film on the treatment of Arabs in Israeli occupied territory. Israel simply asked for the same privilege. Jewish leaders had a film of their own Arab treatment, health services and education.

The Committee's "majority," now a recognizable cohesive propaganda unit barely listened. Then came the vote -- 66 for the showing of the Syrian film only. There were 23 against this denial of democratic processes to Israel and 16 abstentions. The U.S. voted for equal-handedness.

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P.S. TO THE NEWS

TESTING JIMMY CARTER

By PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY
Copley News Service

John Connally, former Cabinet official and governor of Texas, recently predicted that President-elect Jimmy Carter will be "tested" by the Soviets within the first 90 days of his new administration.

This statement by Connally shows unusual perception about the men in the Kremlin. Those who understand the Communists find it easy to forecast their actions. It is the regular practice of the Soviets to test each new American president to see what stuff he is made of, and whether he can be deceived, brainwashed, pushed, shoved or intimidated by Soviet demands.

Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev tested President John F. Kennedy within five months of his taking office. Kennedy never gave an official report on his private conferences with Khrushchev at Vienna in 1961, but eventually the major facts leaked out. The crude and earthy Khrushchev ranted and raved, bullied and shouted.

He threatened to move against West Berlin with all the might of the huge Soviet conventional military forces. He even threatened the use of nuclear weapons. He reminded Kennedy that the Soviets had developed the world's first ICBM even before they successfully orbited the world's first artificial satellite, Sputnik I.

After making his personal estimate of Kennedy's character and vulnerabilities at Vienna, Khrushchev followed up with an additional test. Through the poet Robert Frost, Khrushchev sent Kennedy a message.

It was a taunt that the United States was "too liberal to fight -- even in defense of U.S. vital interests."

When Kennedy made no response, Khrushchev conspired with Cuban Premier Fidel Castro to secretly ship offensive missiles to Cuba, thereby bringing most U.S. major cities within minutes of nuclear incineration.

Gerald Ford was tested by the Soviets three months after he became President. Soviet party boss Leonid Brezhnev invited Mr. Ford to a get-acquainted visit in Vladivostok in November, 1974.

When President Ford arrived, Brezhnev bear-hugged him and then put him through an intensive nine-hour eyeball-to-eyeball negotiating session on strategic arms. Mr. Ford was suffering from fatigue and jet lag after a 17,000-mile trip to the Far East that had been crammed with ceremonial duties.

Brezhnev was rested and relaxed on his own home territory, and was supported by the two most experienced and dishonest negotiators in the world, Andrei Gromyko and Anatoly Dobrynin. Those were the same two diplomats who were publicly denounced by Kennedy for lying to him about missiles in Cuba in 1962.

Brezhnev came out of that smoke-filled room with a SALT II agreement that puts no lid on the Soviet attainment of a first-strike capability against the United States. The Vladivostok agreement will permit the Soviets to MIRV all their giant SS-18 ICBMs plus 1,000 other ICBMs. This total will be more than adequate to knock out all our Minuteman missiles.

To the men in the Kremlin, President-elect Carter is an unknown quantity.

They will surely test him within months of his taking office, probably in an ordeal of summitry, in order to find out if he is made of steel or cotton candy in dealing with the Russians.

To be forewarned is to be forearmed. President-elect Carter needs advisers who have Brezhnev's number, and Connally fits that prescription. It is unlikely that he would be intimidated or ambushed by the Kremlin bullies.

The best appointment Mr. Carter could make would be to name Connally as ambassador to Russia. He would be a good counterweight to Dobrynin.

today's woman

"more spice than everything nice"

Polly's Pointers

DEAR POLLY — The boxes that held my many puzzles were always breaking and had to be taped together. Now I put each puzzle in a clean empty coffee can. The cans do not take up much room, and even if one is dropped the top does not fall off. Tear the picture off the lid of the box, put it in the can and have something to follow. — MARY E.

DEAR POLLY — I do not think there is anything Kathleen can do about the odor in the down pillows on her sofa. Doubtless there is blood on the quills caused by plucking the birds when they were too young. She should return the pillows to the dealer who sold her the sofa. I went through this same thing with down bed pillows. After trying everything I knew of for three months I finally returned them and got a refund.

For years I have used club soda to remove grease spots from chairs and rugs, as well as many other kinds of soil, even poster ink. — CAROLINE.

Auxiliary fetes state president

DONIPHAN — The 15th District V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary meeting was held Sunday at the J. A. Ashby Post 3485. On Saturday evening Mrs. Elva Garland, district hospital chairman, was hostess in her home to a buffet dinner honoring state president Ala Gleius of Cedar City.

Others attending the buffet were Calven and Glennetta Vogelsang, Charles and Leona King and Clara and Arnold Schafer of Cape Girardeau; Commander and Mrs. Bo Webb and Pearl Jordan, president of ladies auxiliary of 3438, Doniphan; Ada Jean Wagoner, Oran, 15th District president and Theresa, Curtiss and Stuart, children of Elva Garland. Following the dinner a reception and dance was held at the post with the president giving the introductions.

Following the noon meal Sunday the business opened at 2 p.m. with district president presiding. Special speakers at the meeting were: State president Alma Cleius; state commander Fred Helfrich of Jefferson City; Francis St. John, past state commander and Bill Lomeyer, state service officer of St. Louis; Edd Verhoff of Arygle, chairman of veterans service committee; and Rodney Roberts, Cape Girardeau, Commander of 15th District.

Service officers Verhoff and Lomeyer spoke of the importance of writing to your senators concerning the Senate Veterans Affairs Committee which will be acted upon in January. Glenetta Vogelsang, national Americanism chairman for Big Ten, spoke on Americanism and Beverly Roberts, state youth activity chairman, spoke of the programs for youth and also on the safety program.

The next district meeting will be held in February at the Morley V.V.W. Post 5368. Following the meeting refreshments were served by the post and auxiliary members.

New Madrid Community Calendar

SATURDAY

New Madrid Masonic Lodge No. 429 will have a special meeting at 7 p.m. at the Masonic temple to confer two third degrees.

TUESDAY

New Madrid County Sportsman Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the New Madrid Community Building.

WEDNESDAY

Rotary Club meets at noon at the New Madrid Country Club.

WEDNESDAY

New Madrid County Bess Truman Club meets at noon at Billy Fisher's Steak House in Portageville for a Christmas party and gift exchange.

THURSDAY

Kiwanis Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at the New Madrid Country Club.

THURSDAY

New Madrid Woman's Club meets at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Charles Hatley. Cohostesses are Mrs. W.S. Edwards Jr. and Mrs. Sam L. Hunter Jr. Members are reminded to bring Christmas gifts to be sent to Girl's Town.

THURSDAY

American Legion meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Building, Highway 61 north.

Secretaries name new committees

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Secretaries of the Cape Girardeau Public Schools were hostesses for the fall dinner meeting of the Mis-Sco-Deau Association of Educational Secretaries at the Southeast Missouri State University Center Monday night. Attending were educational secretaries from Charleston, Sikeston, Benton, Caruthersville and Bell City.

Dr. Arthur H. Turner, superintendent of the Cape Girardeau Public Schools, extended greetings and spoke to the group.

During the business session, conducted by Mrs. Dorothy Bertrand of Cape Girardeau, the following committees were appointed: membership -- Mrs. Sharon Ivy of Dexter, chairman, Mrs. Dorothy Rosenfeld of Charleston, Debbie Shrum of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Carolyn Nickell of Sikeston; nominating -- Mrs. Anita Meinz of Cape Girardeau, chairman, Mrs. Frances Harper of Charleston and Mrs. Margaret Porter of Benton. Mrs. Marilyn Dippold of Cape Girardeau was appointed reporter to the Missouri Association of Educational Secretaries.

A report on the state convention held recently in Kansas City was given by Miss Shrum.

Vivian Boyer of Sikeston, president of the Missouri Association of Educational Secretaries, attended and spoke briefly, as did Mrs. Nickell, Area VI director for MAES.

Special recognition was given to past presidents in attendance: Mrs. Eleanor Hequembourg of Charleston, Miss Boyer, Mrs. Rosenfeld, Mrs. Nichell and Mrs. Meinz.

The spring workshop of MAES will be held in Columbia March 24-26.

Attendance awards went to Mrs. Avis Rampley of Bell City, Doris Phillips of Benton and Martha Moody of Charleston.

To conclude the evening's activities Duane Henricks, reference librarian at Kent Library, provided a guided tour of the Charles L. Harrison Library and described the Jake K. Wells mural and other points of interest in the library.

Sikeston will be the site for the next meeting in January.

Ann Landers

Husband's drinking ruins couple's sex life

Dear Ann Landers: For several years, I have been married to a man who drinks heavily about four nights a week. Two or three of these nights he would come to bed at 2:00 a.m. and pass out cold. About 4:00 a.m. he would wake me up for sex. Then he'd attempt to perform (unsuccessfully), dozing off intermittently without accomplishing anything.

I work full time, keep house and have four children to get off to school. (Lover Boy works from noon till 8:00 p.m.)

Finally I told him, "Listen, if you can't make love to me when you are sober, forget about it altogether. No more of this waking me up in the middle of the night."

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Polly's Pointers

DEAR POLLY — The boxes that held my many puzzles were always breaking and had to be taped together. Now I put each puzzle in a clean empty coffee can. The cans do not take up much room, and even if one is dropped the top does not fall off. Tear the picture off the lid of the box, put it in the can and have something to follow. — MARY E.

DEAR POLLY — I do not think there is anything Kathleen can do about the odor in the down pillows on her sofa. Doubtless there is blood on the quills caused by plucking the birds when they were too young. She should return the pillows to the dealer who sold her the sofa. I went through this same thing with down bed pillows. After trying everything I knew of for three months I finally returned them and got a refund.

For years I have used club soda to remove grease spots from chairs and rugs, as well as many other kinds of soil, even poster ink. — CAROLINE.

Auxiliary fetes state president

DONIPHAN — The 15th District V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary meeting was held Sunday at the J. A. Ashby Post 3485. On Saturday evening Mrs. Elva Garland, district hospital chairman, was hostess in her home to a buffet dinner honoring state president Ala Gleius of Cedar City.

Others attending the buffet were Calven and Glennetta Vogelsang, Charles and Leona King and Clara and Arnold Schafer of Cape Girardeau; Commander and Mrs. Bo Webb and Pearl Jordan, president of ladies auxiliary of 3438, Doniphan; Ada Jean Wagoner, Oran, 15th District president and Theresa, Curtiss and Stuart, children of Elva Garland. Following the dinner a reception and dance was held at the post with the president giving the introductions.

Following the noon meal Sunday the business opened at 2 p.m. with district president presiding. Special speakers at the meeting were: State president Alma Cleius; state commander Fred Helfrich of Jefferson City; Francis St. John, past state commander and Bill Lomeyer, state service officer of St. Louis; Edd Verhoff of Arygle, chairman of veterans service committee; and Rodney Roberts, Cape Girardeau, Commander of 15th District.

Service officers Verhoff and Lomeyer spoke of the importance of writing to your senators concerning the Senate Veterans Affairs Committee which will be acted upon in January. Glenetta Vogelsang, national Americanism chairman for Big Ten, spoke on Americanism and Beverly Roberts, state youth activity chairman, spoke of the programs for youth and also on the safety program.

The next district meeting will be held in February at the Morley V.V.W. Post 5368. Following the meeting refreshments were served by the post and auxiliary members.

New Madrid Community Calendar

SATURDAY

New Madrid Masonic Lodge No. 429 will have a special meeting at 7 p.m. at the Masonic temple to confer two third degrees.

TUESDAY

New Madrid County Sportsman Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the New Madrid Community Building.

WEDNESDAY

Rotary Club meets at noon at the New Madrid Country Club.

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New Madrid County Bess Truman Club meets at noon at Billy Fisher's Steak House in Portageville for a Christmas party and gift exchange.

THURSDAY

Kiwanis Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at the New Madrid Country Club.

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New Madrid Woman's Club meets at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Charles Hatley. Cohostesses are Mrs. W.S. Edwards Jr. and Mrs. Sam L. Hunter Jr. Members are reminded to bring Christmas gifts to be sent to Girl's Town.

THURSDAY

American Legion meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Building, Highway 61 north.

Secretaries name new committees

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Secretaries of the Cape Girardeau Public Schools were hostesses for the fall dinner meeting of the Mis-Sco-Deau Association of Educational Secretaries at the Southeast Missouri State University Center Monday night. Attending were educational secretaries from Charleston, Sikeston, Benton, Caruthersville and Bell City.

Dr. Arthur H. Turner, superintendent of the Cape Girardeau Public Schools, extended greetings and spoke to the group.

During the business session, conducted by Mrs. Dorothy Bertrand of Cape Girardeau, the following committees were appointed: membership -- Mrs. Sharon Ivy of Dexter, chairman, Mrs. Dorothy Rosenfeld of Charleston, Debbie Shrum of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Carolyn Nickell of Sikeston; nominating -- Mrs. Anita Meinz of Cape Girardeau, chairman, Mrs. Frances Harper of Charleston and Mrs. Margaret Porter of Benton. Mrs. Marilyn Dippold of Cape Girardeau was appointed reporter to the Missouri Association of Educational Secretaries.

A report on the state convention held recently in Kansas City was given by Miss Shrum.

Vivian Boyer of Sikeston, president of the Missouri Association of Educational Secretaries, attended and spoke briefly, as did Mrs. Nickell, Area VI director for MAES.

Special recognition was given to past presidents in attendance: Mrs. Eleanor Hequembourg of Charleston, Miss Boyer, Mrs. Rosenfeld, Mrs. Nichell and Mrs. Meinz.

The spring workshop of MAES will be held in Columbia March 24-26.

Attendance awards went to Mrs. Avis Rampley of Bell City, Doris Phillips of Benton and Martha Moody of Charleston.

To conclude the evening's activities Duane Henricks, reference librarian at Kent Library, provided a guided tour of the Charles L. Harrison Library and described the Jake K. Wells mural and other points of interest in the library.

Sikeston will be the site for the next meeting in January.

Ann Landers

Husband's drinking ruins couple's sex life

Dear Ann Landers: For several years, I have been married to a man who drinks heavily about four nights a week. Two or three of these nights he would come to bed at 2:00 a.m. and pass out cold. About 4:00 a.m. he would wake me up for sex. Then he'd attempt to perform (unsuccessfully), dozing off intermittently without accomplishing anything.

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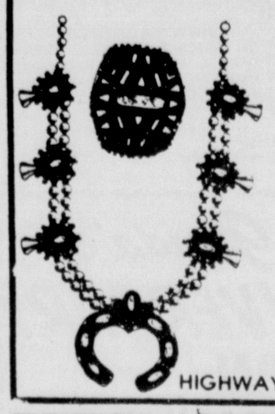
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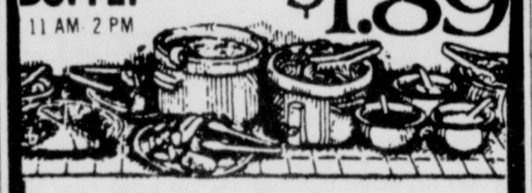
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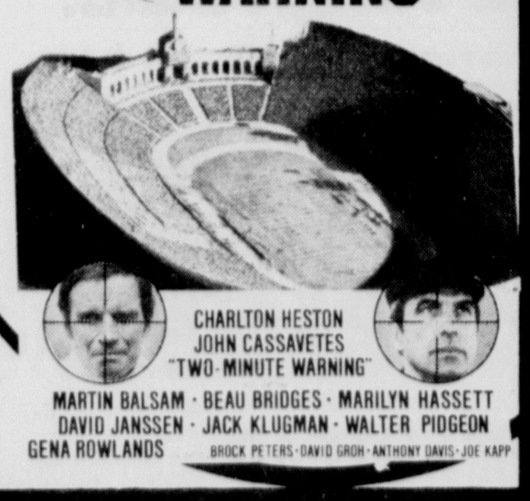
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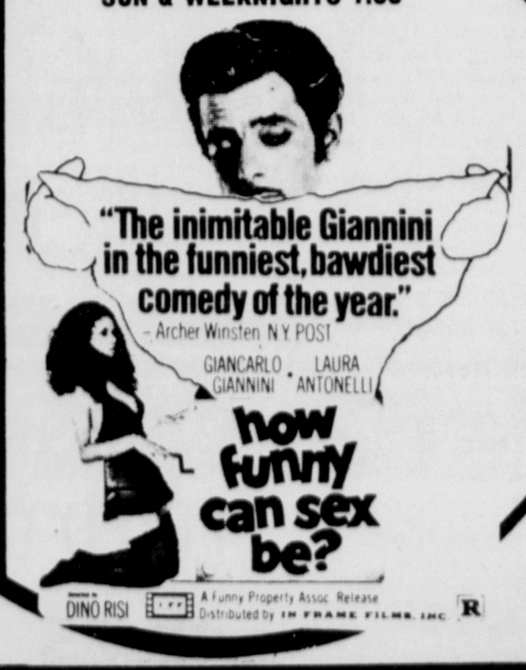
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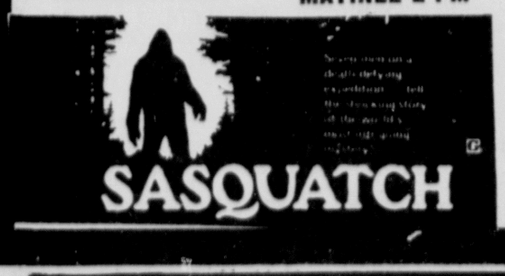
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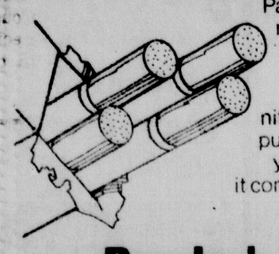
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Move into finals against Charleston

Bulldogs make it ten in a row

By DALE FORBIS
Daily Standard Sportswriter

Revenge wasn't enough.

Coach Jim King's Poplar Bluff Mules have been pointing to their games with Sikeston since the Bulldogs beat them in the 4-A regional last March. That 80-73 victory made it nine times in a row for a Bud Spears-coached SHS squad to beat Poplar Bluff. Thursday night the Dogs pushed the string to ten, 59-56. In the prelim consolation game, New Madrid belted Dexter 62-52.

"Did you see me almost lose that game out there?" asked Spears after the contest. On the coach's suggestion, the Bulldogs went to a stall offense with three minutes of the game left and the strategy almost backfired. A 56-44 lead melted to just one point, 57-56, at the final buzzer. Guard Jeff Limbaugh, fouled at the end of the game, notched two free throws that made the final Bulldog edge three points.

A balanced Bulldog scoring attack featured four Bulldogs in double figures. Senior Alonzo Harris again led the scoring parade with 14 points. He also led the rebounding department with ten. Paul Gilbow grabbed nine errant shots and blocked four.

Balance, or lack of it, cost Poplar Bluff dearly. When a team plays the Mules they know that there are only two offensive guns on the Poplar Bluff side --- Dennis Duncan and Dale Hinton. That duo was again unstoppable as far as the Bulldogs were concerned, but they got little help from their mates. Duncan's long-range shots marked up 22 points on the Mule ledger and Hinton added 20 more. The rest of the Poplar Bluff team hit only five of 25 shots for 14 points.

Led by Hinton and reserve Phil Coats, the Mules became the fourth team to outrebound Sikeston in the last three years. Hinton had ten and the visitors had a 31-29 advantage.

The victory placed the Bulldogs in the tournament finals for the third time in Spears' three years at Sikeston. Their opponents? Again, the superb Charleston Bluejays.

"I think we can get them," said a confident Alonzo Harris after the game. "They can be beat."

Reserve Mike Warfield echoed Harris' declaration, saying, "Nobody gives us much chance, but we can do it."

Those two, their teammates and coach may be the only ones who believe the Jays can be had. One thing is sure. If Sikeston doesn't beat the talented Blue-and- White squad, nobody else has much chance.

"We're going to put about seven pounds of air in the ball," joked Spears about his plans for coach Mitch Haskins' Jays. "Then we'll put one of those tightly-wound nets that holds the ball up before letting it through."

Any time Sikeston and Charleston meet, the atmosphere is something special and anyone who misses the game and calls himself a basketball fan ought to have his head examined.

The first game between New Madrid and Dexter was close until the third period. Then, in the second half the Indians outscored Dexter 33-20 and won a ten-point, 62-52 decision. The victory earned New Madrid the right to face Malden in the consolation finals tonight at 6 p.m.

Guard Chris Tanner, held to seven points by Sikeston the night before, struggled through a scoreless first period, then burned the nets the rest of the way for a game- high 25 points. A 17-5 third period put New Madrid on top to stay.

Dexter's Greg Miller and Lance Espeyled the losers. Miller notched 20 points and Espey added 17.

New Madrid plays Lilbourn for the third-place trophy tonight at 7:30.

And Sikeston faces Charleston for the championship at nine.

But then, nobody had to tell you that.

SIKESTON (59)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RB	PF	TO	A
Morell Baker	2-.2	0-.0	4	2	0	2	0
Paul Gilbow	6-.8	0-.0	12	9	2	3	1
Alonzo Harris	7-14	0-.0	14	10	1	4	2
Larry Jackson	5-10	0-.1	10	1	1	2	8
Jeff Limbaugh	4-.6	3-.4	11	2	4	6	4
Kenny Standridge	1-.3	0-.0	2	1	1	0	0
Tim Ward	3-.7	0-.1	6	1	1	1	0
Mike Warfield	0-.0	0-.0	0	0	1	2	1
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TOTALS	28-50	3-.6	59	29	11	20	16
POPLAR BLUFF (56)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RP	PF	TO	A
Harvey Johnson	1-.1	0-.0	2	1	2	6	0
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David Webb	3-10	0-.0	6	2	2	1	2
Dale Hinton	10-17	0-.1	20	10	1	7	1
Dennis Duncan	9-15	4-.4	22	3	1	5	5
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TOTALS	24-57	8-11	56	31	12	25	14

FG PCT: Sikeston 56.0, Poplar Bluff 42.1
FT PCT: Sikeston 50.0, Poplar Bluff 72.7

BY QUARTERS:				
Sikeston	18	10	14	17
Poplar Bluff	14	12	14	16

DEXTER (52)
Espey 17, Williams 2, Guilliams 2, McGowan 2, Miller 20, Dowdy 9. TOTALS: FG---21; FT---10; PF---21.

NEW MADRID (62)
St. Mary 2, Baker 2, Gist 9, Taylor 4, Hunter 4, Robinson 8, Tanner 25, Cooper 2, Humphrey 4, Jones 2. TOTALS: FG---28; FT---6; PF---19.

Score by Quarters:

Dexter	20	12	5	15	52
New Madrid	12	17	17	16	62

Puxico displays depth in moving to Bernie finals

BERNIE — The Puxico Indians, said by many to have the best collection of pure shooters among any small school in the area, lived up to that billing Thursday night.

Playing without high- scoring guard Morgan Sifford, who has suffered what might possibly be a cracked ankle, the Indians still managed to score 84 points and win a wild 84-75 decision over Parma to advance to the finals of the Bernie Invitational Tournament.

Second- seeded Holcomb ripped Gideon 80-62 in the other semi-final game.

After a slow start, Puxico scored 28 second-quarter points to take 40-23 halftime lead and assume control of the game. Parma played much better in the second half, especially Tommy Wright, whose 33 points were high in the game. Wright fired in 18 of his points in the fourth quarter, which saw both teams tally 33 times in the wildest eight minutes of action in the young season.

Robbie Cookson, who is cousin of the more publicized of Puxico's starting guards, picked up the slack left by the absence of Sifford and responded with a brilliant 30 point performance. Randy Campbell added 20 and Rex Jones contributed 18 for coach Pete Townsend's team, which is seeded first in the eight-team tournament. Cookson sank ten-of-ten freethrows in the fourth quarter to help keep the Indians ahead.

The first half was also the big one for Holcomb's Hornets, who built a 41-27 lead over Gideon at the halftime of the second game. The Bulldogs, coming off an upset of Risco Tuesday night, had their problems with the Hornets, who got 21 points from Mike Jarrett. Doug Meadows added 18 for Holcomb.

Puxico and Holcomb meet at 8:30 this evening for the championship, following the 7:00 consolation game between Parma and Gideon.

HOLCOMB (80)
Burr 12, Jarrett 21, Meadows 18, Scott 8, Bulla 6, Murdock 15. TOTALS: FG---30; FT---20; PF---21.

GIDEON (62)
Hicks 11, Nettles 13, Campbell 10, Winston 7, Berry 18, Casey 3. TOTALS: FG---23; FT---16; PF---23.

Score by Quarters:

Holcomb	16	25	15	24	80
Gideon	9	18	19	16	62

PUXICO (84)
Campbell 20, Cookson 30, Payton 4, Jones 18, Harmon 12. TOTALS: FG---31; FT---22; PF---18.

PARMA (75)
Beaird 13, Matlock 4, Payne 10, Perkins 6, Thatch 5, Tillman 4, Wright 33. TOTALS: FG---32; FT---11; PF---24.

Score by Quarters:

Puxico	12	28	11	33	84
Parma	8	15	19	33	75

Murtaugh dies

CHESTER, Pa. (AP) — Danny Murtaugh, who pledged to make his fourth baseball retirement his last so he could devote more time to the grandchildren he loved, is dead at age 59.

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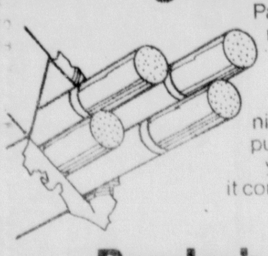
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Move into finals against Charleston

Bulldogs make it ten in a row

By DALE FORBIS
Daily Standard Sportswriter

Revenge wasn't enough.

Coach Jim King's Poplar Bluff Mules have been pointing to their games with Sikeston since the Bulldogs beat them in the 4-A regional last March. That 80-73 victory made it nine times in a row for a Bud Spears-coached SHS squad to beat Poplar Bluff. Thursday night the Dogs pushed the string to ten, 59-56. In the prelim consolation game, New Madrid belted Dexter 62-52.

"Did you see me almost lose that game out there?" asked Spears after the contest. On the coach's suggestion, the Bulldogs went to a stall offense with three minutes of the game left and the strategy almost backfired. A 56-44 lead melted to just one point, 57-56, at the final buzzer. Guard Jeff Limbaugh, fouled at the end of the game, notched two free throws that made the final Bulldog edge three points.

A balanced Bulldog scoring attack featured four Bulldogs in double figures. Senior Alonzo Harris again led the scoring parade with 14 points. He also led the rebounding department with ten. Paul Gilbow grabbed nine errant shots and blocked four.

Balance, or lack of it, cost Poplar Bluff dearly. When a team plays the Mules they know that there are only two offensive guns on the Poplar Bluff side — Dennis Duncan and Dale Hinton. That duo was again unstoppable as far as the Bulldogs were concerned, but they got little help from their mates. Duncan's long-range shots marked up 22 points on the Mule ledger and Hinton added 20 more. The rest of the Poplar Bluff team hit only five of 25 shots for 14 points.

Led by Hinton and reserve Phil Coats, the Mules became the fourth team to outrebound Sikeston in the last three years. Hinton had ten and the visitors had a 31-29 advantage.

The victory placed the Bulldogs in the tournament finals for the third time in Spears' three years at Sikeston. Their opponents? Again, the superb Charleston Bluejays.

"I think we can get them," said a confident Alonzo Harris after the game. "They can be beat."

Reserve Mike Warfield echoed Harris' declaration, saying, "Nobody gives us much chance, but we c an do it."

Those two, their teammates and coach may be the only ones who believe the Jays can be had. One thing is sure. If Sikeston doesn't beat the talented Blue-and- White squad, nobody else has much chance.

"We're going to put about seven pounds of air in the ball," joked Spears about his plans for coach Mitch Haskins' Jays. "Then we'll put one of those tightly-wound nets that holds the ball up before letting it through."

Any time Sikeston and Charleston meet, the atmosphere is something special and anyone who misses the game and calls himself a basketball fan ought to have his head examined.

The first game between New Madrid and Dexter was close until the third period. Then, in the second half the Indians outscored Dexter 33-20 and won a ten-point, 62-52 decision. The victory earned New Madrid the right to face Malden in the consolation finals tonight at 6 p.m.

Guard Chris Tanner, held to seven points by Sikeston the night before, struggled through a scoreless first period, then burned the nets the rest of the way for a game- high 25 points. A 17-5 third period put New Madrid on top to stay.

Dexter's Greg Miller and Lance Espeyled the losers. Miller notched 20 points and Espey added 17.

New Madrid plays Lilbourn for the third-place trophy tonight at 7:30.

And Sikeston faces Charleston for the championship at nine.

But then, nobody had to tell you that.

SIKESTON (59)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RB	PF	TO	A
Morell Baker	2-.2	0-.0	4	2	0	2	0
Paul Gilbow	6-.8	0-.0	12	9	2	3	1
Alonzo Harris	7-14	0-.0	14	10	1	4	2
Larry Jackson	5-10	0-.1	10	1	1	2	8
Jeff Limbaugh	4-.6	3-.4	11	2	4	6	4
Kenny Standridge	1-.3	0-.0	2	1	1	0	0
Tim Ward	3-.7	0-.1	6	1	1	1	0
Mike Warfield	0-.0	0-.0	0	0	1	2	1
team rebounds				3			
TOTALS	28-50	3-.6	59	29	11	20	16
POPLAR BLUFF (56)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RP	PF	TO	A
Harvey Johnson	1-.1	0-.0	2	1	2	6	0
Phil Coats	0-.4	2-.4	2	5	1	2	1
David Webb	3-10	0-.0	6	2	2	1	2
Dale Hinton	10-17	0-.1	20	10	1	7	1
Dennis Duncan	9-15	4-.4	22	3	1	5	5
Jim Bidewell	0-.0	0-.0	0	0	1	1	1
David Dickens	0-.0	0-.0	0	0	1	1	0
Mike England	1-10	2-.2	4	3	3	2	4
team rebounds				7			
TOTALS	24-57	8-11	56	31	12	25	14

FG PCT: Sikeston 56.0, Poplar Bluff 42.1
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Sikeston	18	10	14	17
Poplar Bluff	14	12	14	16

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Puxico displays depth in moving to Bernie finals

BERNIE — The Puxico Indians, said by many to have the best collection of pure shooters among any small school in the area, lived up to that billing Thursday night.

Playing without high- scoring guard Morgan Sifford, who has suffered what might possibly be a cracked ankle, the Indians still managed to score 84 points and win a wild 84-75 decision over Parma to advance to the finals of the Bernie Invitational Tournament.

Second- seeded Holcomb ripped Gideon 80-62 in the other semi-final game.

After a slow start, Puxico scored 28 second-quarter points to take 40-23 halftime lead and assume control of the game. Parma played much better in the second half, especially Tommy Wright, whose 33 points were high in the game. Wright fired in 18 of his points in the fourth quarter, which saw both teams tally 33 times in the wildest eight minutes of action in the young season.

Robbie Cookson, who is cousin of the more publicized of Puxico's starting guards, picked up the slack left by the absence of Sifford and responded with a brilliant 30 point performance. Randy Campbell added 20 and Rex Jones contributed 18 for coach Pete Townsend's team, which is seeded first in the eight-team tournament. Cookson sank ten-of-ten freethrows in the fourth quarter to help keep the Indians ahead.

The first half was also the big one for Holcomb's Hornets, who built a 41-27 lead over Gideon at the halftime of the second game. The Bulldogs, coming off an upset of Risco Tuesday night, had their problems with the Hornets, who got 21 points from Mike Jarrett. Doug Meadows added 18 for Holcomb.

Puxico and Holcomb meet at 8:30 this evening for the championship, following the 7:00 consolation game between Parma and Gideon.

HOLCOMB (80)
Burr 12, Jarrett 21, Meadows 18, Scott 8, Bulla 6, Murdock 15. TOTALS: FG---30; FT---20; PF---21.

GIDEON (62)
Hicks 11, Nettles 13, Campbell 10, Winston 7, Berry 18, Casey 3. TOTALS: FG---23; FT---16; PF---23.

Score by Quarters:

Holcomb	16	25	15	24	80
Gideon	9	18	19	16	62

PUXICO (84)
Campbell 20, Cookson 30, Payton 4, Jones 18, Harmon 12. TOTALS: FG---31; FT---22; PF---18.

PARMA (75)
Beaird 13, Matlock 4, Payne 10, Perkins 6, Thatch 5, Tillman 4, Wright 33. TOTALS: FG---32; FT---11; PF---24.

Score by Quarters:

Puxico	12	28	11	33	84
Parma	8	15	19	33	75

SIKESTON (52)
Espey 17, Williams 2, Guilliams 2, McGowan 2, Miller 20, Dowdy 9. TOTALS: FG---21; FT---10; PF---21.

NEW MADRID (62)
St. Mary 2, Baker 2, Gist 9, Taylor 4, Hunter 4, Robinson 8, Tanner 25, Cooper 2, Humphrey 4, Jones 2. TOTALS: FG---28; FT---6; PF---19.

Score by Quarters:

Dexter	20	12	5	15	52
New Madrid	12	17	17	16	62

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Murtaugh dies

CHESTER, Pa. (AP) — Danny Murtaugh, who pledged to make his fourth baseball retirement his last so he could devote more time to the grandchildren he loved, is dead at age 59.

Murtaugh, who left the Pittsburgh Pirates just two months ago, slipped into a coma and died Thursday night after suffering a stroke two days earlier.

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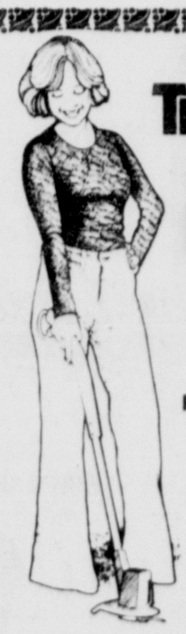
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Bobcats and Hornets pull off upsets in Woodland semifinals

By CHARLIE FRANCIS
Daily Standard Sports Editor

LUTESVILLE — As expected, it'll be Notre Dame against Woodland Friday night in the Woodland Invitational Tournament. As not expected, they'll be playing against each other for third place.

Both the Bulldogs and the Cardinals were upset victims Thursday evening. Notre Dame, seeded first in the tournament, was upended by fourth-seeded Delta 66-63. Woodland ran into second half troubles against Advance and lost a 71-66 decision to the Hornets. The Cards were seeded second.

In the opener, the Bobcats almost blew a five point lead with a minute to go, but hung on to shock the favored Notre Dame team. Two Delta turnovers led to a pair of Notre Dame buckets in the final minute that helped the pressing Dogs narrow the lead to only a point. Mark Carnell of Delta was fouled with two seconds left and went to the line with a chance to secure the victory with a pair of foul shots. Carrnell missed the shot, but got his own rebound and followed with a bucket that iced the Bobcat victory.

It was close all the way, with neither team being able to gain more than a five- point lead at any time. Although Delta led by two at the end of the first period, Notre Dame was on top by one at the half. the second half was much the same story.

Ron Snider gunned in 20 points, Randy Huffman added 16 and Dave Duncan threw in 14 for the victorious Bobcats, who will meet Advance in the finals in a rematch of last year's regional final game. Steve Fels topped Notre Dame with 22.

In the evening's finale, Advance sprung their full-court press on the Woodland Cardinals in the second half and turned what had been a close game into a runaway for the Hornets.

"We just quit doing things right," said Cardinal coach Kevin Arand, whose team outscored Advance 27-12 in the fourth quarter when the game had already been decided.

The Hornets held a 29-25 lead at the half when coach Carroll Cookson decided it was time for his troops to go to work. Led by Steve Vavak's 20 third- quarter points, Advance exploded for 30 in the period, most of them coming on layups after inducing the Cardinals to turn the ball over. By period's end, the four point lead had ballooned to 20 to 59-39. Advance coasted in the fourth quarter.

Vavak, the Horntes' 6-1 senior forward, finished the game with 35 points. Sophomore Eddie Dunivan added 10. Dave VanGennip topped Woodland with 15 points.

The tournament concludes tonight, with the Notre Dame Woodland matchup in the consolation game at 6:30 kicking off the action. Advance and Delta meet at 8:00 in the finals.

ADVANCE (71)
Vavak 35, Robins 6, Daniels 9, Wheatley 7, Dunnivan 10, Tidwell 4. TOTALS: FG---28; FT---15; PF---26.

WOODLAND (66)
Moyers 12, Wyatt 10, Mondy 6, Dave VanGennip 15, Crader 2, Dan Van Gennip 2, Barker 15, Allmon 4. TOTALS: FG---25; FT---16; PF---21.

Score by Quarters:

Advance	16	13	30	12	71
Woodland	12	13	14	27	66

DELTA (66)
Carnell 8, Huffman 16, Snider 20, Bucher 6, Duncan 14, Brown 2. TOTALS: FG---24; FT---18; PF---16.

NOTRE DAME (63)
Blattel 10, Dohogne 8, Fels 22, VanWeelden 3, Goodson 12, Welter 8. TOTALS: FG---29; FT---5; PF---22.

Score by Quarters:

Delta	12	16	14	24	66
Notre Dame	10	19	14	20	63

I-SC & Cubs win in Oran tournament

ORAN — Illmo- Scott City and Bell City picked up consolation bracket victories in the Oran Invitational Tournament Thursday evening.

Illmo- Scott City got 21 points from John Heuring as they topped host Oran 67-55. The twelve point lead that the Rams built in the first half stood up as the final margin of victory. Kerry Lasters scored 15 for Oran.

Pat Niemczyk fired in 29 for Bell City as the Cubs surprised Chaffee 77-63. Bell City led by only three going into the fourth period, but a 22-point outburst in the final period put the game away. Lindy Duncan ripped the nets for 25 for Chaffee.

Semifinal action gets underway tonight at Oran with Kelly meeting Matthews at 7:00. Scott Central battles Richland at 8:30.

BELL CITY ((77)
Mosley 8, Weeks 11, Watkins 10, Surface 14, Niemczyk 29, Kinder 4, Walker 1. TOTALS: FG---29; FT---19; PF---19.

CHAFFEE (63)
Duncan 25, Groves 10, Kiefer 13, Meyr 11, Phegley 7, Wachter 2. TOTALS: FG---26; FT---11; PF---22.

Score by Quarters:

Bell City	18	18	19	22	77
Chaffee	14	11	27	11	63

ILLMO-SCOTT CITY (67)
Springs 12, Littlepage 11, Heuring 21, Campbell 5, Amos 7, Miller 2, McMillan 6, Cotner 3. TOTALS: FG---28; FT---11; PF---15.

ORAN (55)
Burlison 2, Wilson 8, Walter 11, Senciboy 11, Lasters 15, R. Friga 8. TOTALS: FG---23; FT---9; PF---17.

Score by Quarters:

I-SC	14	18	13	22	67
Oran	9	11	17	18	55

Murtaugh

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with his grandchildren.

"He was a baseball man," said Cincinnati Reds Manager Sparky Anderson. "He liked it so much he came back to it when he shouldn't have."

Murtaugh was lured out of retirement three times by his close friend and mentor, Pirates General Manager Joe L. Brown, who gave Murtaugh his first managing job.

Born in Chester on Oct. 8, 1917, Murtaugh began playing pro baseball at 19 and broke into the majors with the Philadelphia Phillies four years later.

The Boston Braves traded him to the Pirates in 1947 and the following year he had his best season, leading the league in putouts for a second baseman, assists and double plays while batting .290.

Brown hired Murtaugh to manage the New Orleans farm club in 1952 and he guided them to fifth place his first season while playing part-time.

He had been third base coach for the Pirates less than two years when Bobby Bragan was fired and Murtaugh was promoted to manager.

Pittsburgh finished in second-place the next season after eight years at the bottom, or near bottom, of the National League.

Just two years later, in 1960, he led the Pirates to a World Series triumph over the New York Yankees. His heart condition forced him to retire in 1964 but he stayed on as a part-time scout.

It was to be the first of four retirements for Murtaugh as Pirates manager.

Jackson wins Farmington consolation

FARMINGTON — Mike Gohn fired in 15 points to lead Jackson to a 59-57 victory over Farmington in the consolation bracket finals of the Farmington Invitational Tournament Thursday night.

Randy Detring, a 6-3 junior, gunned in 26 for the losers.

In a semifinal game in the winner's bracket, Potosi downed Fredericktown 66-46.

Cape Central takes on Fredericktown tonight at 6:30 in the consolation game, followed by the 8:00 championship tilt between Potosi and Flat River Central.

JACKSON (59)
Maevers 2, Thompson 7, Gohn 15, Davis 7, Gorman 7, Henderson 5, Gorton 12, Bartels 4. TOTALS: FG---24; FT---11; PF---21.

FARMINGTON (57)
Evans 6, Wigger 12, Detring 26, Yeager 4, Ratcliffe 2, Claird 6. TOTALS: FG---19; FT---19; PF---14.

Score by Quarters:

Jackson	12	14	20	13	59
Farmington	12	13	18	14	57

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Bobcats and Hornets pull off upsets in Woodland semifinals

By CHARLIE FRANCIS
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LUTESVILLE — As expected, it'll be Notre Dame against Woodland Friday night in the Woodland Invitational Tournament. As not expected, they'll be playing against each other for third place.

Both the Bulldogs and the Cardinals were upset victims Thursday evening. Notre Dame, seeded first in the tournament, was upended by fourth-seeded Delta 66-63. Woodland ran into second half troubles against Advance and lost a 71-66 decision to the Hornets. The Cards were seeded second.

In the opener, the Bobcats almost blew a five point lead with a minute to go, but hung on to shock the favored Notre Dame team. Two Delta turnovers led to a pair of Notre Dame buckets in the final minute that helped the pressing Dogs narrow the lead to only a point. Mark Carnell of Delta was fouled with two seconds left and went to the line with a chance to secure the victory with a pair of foul shots. Carrnell missed the shot, but got his own rebound and followed with a bucket that iced the Bobcat victory.

It was close all the way, with neither team being able to gain more than a five- point lead at any time. Although Delta led by two at the end of the first period, Notre Dame was on top by one at the half. the second half was much the same story.

Ron Snider gunned in 20 points, Randy Huffman added 16 and Dave Duncan threw in 14 for the victorious Bobcats, who will meet Advance in the finals in a rematch of last year's regional final game. Steve Fels topped Notre Dame with 22.

In the evening's finale, Advance sprung their full-court press on the Woodland Cardinals in the second half and turned what had been a close game into a runaway for the Hornets.

"We just quit doing things right," said Cardinal coach Kevin Arand, whose team outscored Advance 27-12 in the fourth quarter when the game had already been decided.

The Hornets held a 29-25 lead at the half when coach Carroll Cookson decided it was time for his troops to go to work. Led by Steve Vavak's 20 third- quarter points, Advance exploded for 30 in the period, most of them coming on layups after inducing the Cardinals to turn the ball over. By period's end, the four point lead had ballooned to 20 to 59-39. Advance coasted in the fourth quarter.

Vavak, the Horntes' 6-1 senior forward, finished the game with 35 points. Sophomore Eddie Dunivan added 10. Dave VanGennip topped Woodland with 15 points.

The tournament concludes tonight, with the Notre Dame Woodland matchup in the consolation game at 6:30 kicking off the action. Advance and Delta meet at 8:00 in the finals.

ADVANCE (71)
Vavak 35, Robins 6, Daniels 9, Wheatley 7, Dunnivan 10, Tidwell 4. TOTALS: FG---28; FT---15; PF---26.

WOODLAND (66)
Moyers 12, Wyatt 10, Mondy 6, Dave VanGennip 15, Crader 2, Dan Van Gennip 2, Barker 15, Allmon 4. TOTALS: FG---25; FT---16; PF---21.

Score by Quarters:

Advance	16	13	30	12	71
Woodland	12	13	14	27	66

DELTA (66)
Carnell 8, Huffman 16, Snider 20, Bucher 6, Duncan 14, Brown 2. TOTALS: FG---24; FT---18; PF---16.

NOTRE DAME (63)
Blattel 10, Dohogne 8, Fels 22, VanWeelden 3, Goodson 12, Welter 8. TOTALS: FG---29; FT---5; PF---22.

Score by Quarters:

Delta	12	16	14	24	66
Notre Dame	10	19	14	20	63

I-SC & Cubs win in Oran tournament

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Illmo- Scott City got 21 points from John Heuring as they topped host Oran 67-55. The twelve point lead that the Rams built in the first half stood up as the final margin of victory. Kerry Lasters scored 15 for Oran.

Pat Niemczyk fired in 29 for Bell City as the Cubs surprised Chaffee 77-63. Bell City led by only three going into the fourth period, but a 22-point outburst in the final period put the game away. Lindy Duncan ripped the nets for 25 for Chaffee.

Semifinal action gets underway tonight at Oran with Kelly meeting Matthews at 7:00. Scott Central battles Richland at 8:30.

BELL CITY ((77)
Mosley 8, Weeks 11, Watkins 10, Surface 14, Niemczyk 29, Kinder 4, Walker 1. TOTALS: FG---29; FT---19; PF---19.

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Chaffee	14	11	27	11	63

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Murtaugh

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with his grandchildren.

"He was a baseball man," said Cincinnati Reds Manager Sparky Anderson. "He liked it so much he came back to it when he shouldn't have."

Murtaugh was lured out of retirement three times by his close friend and mentor, Pirates General Manager Joe L. Brown, who gave Murtaugh his first managing job.

Born in Chester on Oct. 8, 1917, Murtaugh began playing pro baseball at 19 and broke into the majors with the Philadelphia Phillies four years later.

The Boston Braves traded him to the Pirates in 1947 and the following year he had his best season, leading the league in putouts for a second baseman, assists and double plays while batting .290.

Brown hired Murtaugh to manage the New Orleans farm club in 1952 and he guided them to fifth place his first season while playing part-time.

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Pittsburgh finished in second-place the next season after eight years at the bottom, or near bottom, of the National League.

Just two years later, in 1960, he led the Pirates to a World Series triumph over the New York Yankees. His heart condition forced him to retire in 1964 but he stayed on as a part-time scout.

It was to be the first of four retirements for Murtaugh as Pirates manager.

Jackson wins Farmington consolation

FARMINGTON — Mike Gohn fired in 15 points to lead Jackson to a 59-57 victory over Farmington in the consolation bracket finals of the Farmington Invitational Tournament Thursday night.

Randy Detring, a 6-3 junior, gunned in 26 for the losers.

In a semifinal game in the winner's bracket, Potosi downed Fredericktown 66-46.

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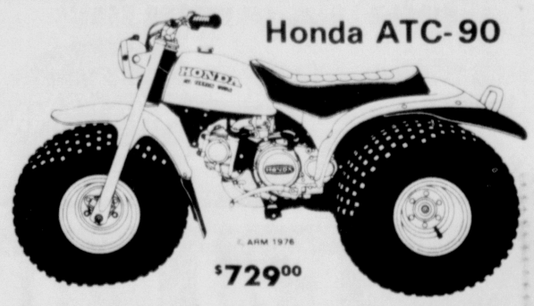
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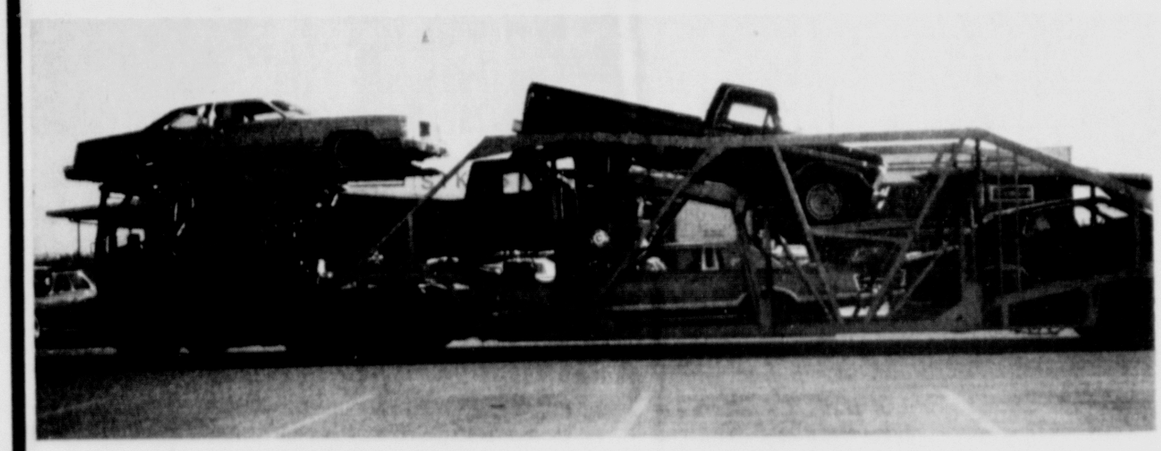
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William D. and Wynette G. Alcorn deeded to Leonard M. and Loretta J. Shelton, by warranty deed, lots 140 and 141 in Jones Subdivision in Sikeston.

Millard H. and Anna Marie Brinker deeded to Tom and Sharon E. Brashear, by warranty deed, lots 8-15 in lot 1 of C. and A.J. Matthews Third Addition in Oran.

Chaffee Lumber Co. deeded to Robert J. and Alice F. Urhahn, by warranty deed, part of lot 9 of Pfefferkorn's Fourth Addition in Chaffee.

Richard L. and Norma Freed deeded to James B. and Evelyn M. McClintock, by warranty deed, lots 6 and 7 and part of lot 5 of Bells Addition in Scott City.

Inter-M Corp. deeded to Philip F. Matthews, by warranty deed, lot 2 in block 5 of Greenbrier Estates Subdivision in Sikeston.

Eugene and Marie LeGrand deeded to Donald Ray and Bertie Alice Robert, by warranty deed, lot 7 of Dye's Second Addition in Benton.

Dean L. and Sue McDonald deeded to Dyer-Bussey Realtors Inc., by warranty deed, south 45 feet of lot 8 and north 50 feet of lot 9 in block 12 of Collins North Acres Addition in Sikeston.

Jacqueline Phillips deeded to Eugene C. Phillips, by quit claim deed, lot 17 of Maurice E. Stauffers Subdivision.

Marvin G. and Frances Kay Pobst deeded to Joseph J. and Phyllis E. Bollinger, by warranty deed, lot 5 in block 44 in the original town of Chaffee.

Melvin and Pauline Rodgers deeded to Donald M. and Barbara S. Rodgers, by warranty deed, lots 5, 6 and 12 in block 2 of Branums Addition in Sikeston.

Paul and O'Neal Sando deeded to Paul R. and Helen M. Hearld, by warranty deed, lots 15 and 16 in block 3 of Hardy and Keeley's Addition in Scott City.

Anna M. Stokes deeded to Earl Edward and Myrna F. Cheek, by warranty deed, lot 4 of Emerson's Acres.

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MAGISTRATE COURT

BENTON — Cases heard Wednesday in Scott County Magistrate Court before Judge Lloyd G. Briggs included:

Probation for Alan Randolph Killion was revoked and he was ordered to begin serving a one-year sentence in the county jail imposed on Feb. 24, 1975 for tampering with a motor vehicle. He was placed on two-year probation at the time of conviction.

Stephen Paul Haupt, possession of hashish (over 5 grams), imposition of sentence deferred for one year.

Debra Kay Walker, issuing no-account check, imposition of sentence deferred for one year.

Herbert Marshall Douglas, possession of marijuana, imposition of sentence deferred for one year under supervision of probation officer.

Gary Barrick, burglary and stealing, attorney appointed and case continued to Dec. 8.

Kenny Bright, burglary and stealing, waived reading of charges and preliminary hearing set Dec. 15.

Continued to Dec. 8

Hershel Wiley and William Frank Adams, felony stealing, set for preliminary hearing; Rex Mullendore, two counts of issuing insufficient funds check, set for trial; Audrey Bombe, issuing no-account check; William O. Hobbs, issuing insufficient funds check; and Richard Ray Reeves, careless and imprudent driving, set for trial.

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Ronald Bryant and Harold Patterson, burglary and stealing; Henry Arlie Nordin, driving while intoxicated; Terry Alan Presley, possession of hashish (less than 5 grams); Rickie Lynn Robertson, two counts of stealing over $50, set for preliminary hearing; and Anthony Eual Schaffer, driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana (less than 35 grams).

Fines

Jerry Javis Green, no operator's license, $20; Margaret Ann Spane, no certificate of inspection, expired license plates and no operator's license, $10 on each charge; Ronnie Lee Coleman, speeding, $300; Roger D. Ralls, hunting without a license, $11.80; and Brian Brown and Michael D. Barnes, hunting without a license, $25.

Warrant issued

An arrest warrant was ordered issued for Phillip M. Evans, who failed to appear in court on a charge of issuing an insufficient funds check.

Speeding fines

Paying fines for speeding after entering written guilty pleas were: Michael Andrew Curry, $108.50; Elmer Gene Jones and Douglas W. Maurer, $35; James Henry Williams, Jerry Hall, Randall Dale Bittle, Minh Van Phan, Ulysses Robinson Jr., Joseph L. McClung and Scott Sanders, $25.

Gary Joseph Collins, Susan J. Natwick, Gene Autry Nunnally, Lloyd Pegues, George Tashie, Mildred Marie Stegner, William Laroi Winston, Daniel Stanley Young, Ronald J. Carpenter, James C. Keys, Sonny Lee Owens, Anna Mae Matthews, John Robert LaGrand, Reba Gay Gray, Orie Harold Folsom, Ralph Michael Caliano, Elvis H. Greathouse, Louis Guevara, and James T. Plunk, $15.

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POLICE ARRESTS

Freddie Harris, 111 Westgate St., running red light.

Wyman C. Rodford, 853 Agnes St., failing to yield right-of-way to emergency vehicle.

Frank Leon Loflin, Bell City, driving without valid operator's license and improper registration.

George W. Marmsteadter Jr., Ballwin, public intoxication.

Lillie Mae Barnes, 131 Frisco St., petit larceny at Magic Mart.

CIRCUIT COURT

CHARLESTON — Judge Marshall Craig Thursday dismissed a motion filed in Mississippi County Circuit Court by James Edmond Flowers, 36, and denied his request to set aside a prison sentence assessed against him Jan. 13, 1976 for assault with intent to kill.

Flowers, who pleaded guilty to assault with intent to kill in a change of venue case from New Madrid County, was sentenced to 20 years in custody of the Department of Corrections.

The charge stemmed from a July 13, 1975, assault with a gun on Highway Patrol Trooper Herbert A. Campbell, who was shot while placing Flowers and his brother under arrest for investigation of armed robbery in Pemiscot County. The shooting occurred at a ferry landing on the Mississippi River east of Portageville.

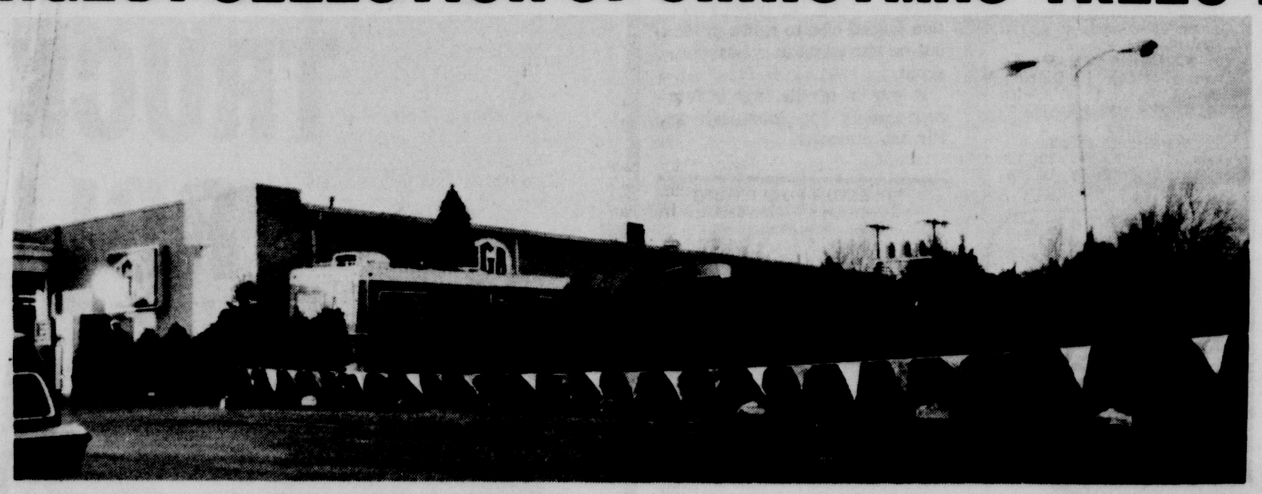
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DEED TRANSFERS

BENTON — Deed transactions recorded during the past week in the office of Scott County Recorder of Deeds John Bollinger included:

William D. and Wynette G. Alcorn deeded to Leonard M. and Loretta J. Shelton, by warranty deed, lots 140 and 141 in Jones Subdivision in Sikeston.

Millard H. and Anna Marie Brinker deeded to Tom and Sharon E. Brashear, by warranty deed, lots 8-15 in lot 1 of C. and A.J. Matthews Third Addition in Oran.

Chaffee Lumber Co. deeded to Robert J. and Alice F. Urhahn, by warranty deed, part of lot 9 of Pfefferkorn's Fourth Addition in Chaffee.

Richard L. and Norma Freed deeded to James B. and Evelyn M. McClintock, by warranty deed, lots 6 and 7 and part of lot 5 of Bells Addition in Scott City.

Inter-M Corp. deeded to Philip F. Matthews, by warranty deed, lot 2 in block 5 of Greenbrier Estates Subdivision in Sikeston.

Eugene and Marie LeGrand deeded to Donald Ray and Bertie Alice Robert, by warranty deed, lot 7 of Dye's Second Addition in Benton.

Dean L. and Sue McDonald deeded to Dyer-Bussey Realtors Inc., by warranty deed, south 45 feet of lot 8 and north 50 feet of lot 9 in block 12 of Collins North Acres Addition in Sikeston.

Jacqueline Phillips deeded to Eugene C. Phillips, by quit claim deed, lot 17 of Maurice E. Stauffers Subdivision.

Marvin G. and Frances Kay Pobst deeded to Joseph J. and Phyllis E. Bollinger, by warranty deed, lot 5 in block 44 in the original town of Chaffee.

Melvin and Pauline Rodgers deeded to Donald M. and Barbara S. Rodgers, by warranty deed, lots 5, 6 and 12 in block 2 of Branums Addition in Sikeston.

Paul and O'Neal Sando deeded to Paul R. and Helen M. Hearld, by warranty deed, lots 15 and 16 in block 3 of Hardy and Keeley's Addition in Scott City.

Anna M. Stokes deeded to Earl Edward and Myrna F. Cheek, by warranty deed, lot 4 of Emerson's Acres.

James R. and Gladys Terry deeded to Castor R. and Mary L. Alsup, by warranty deed, lot 13 in block 8 of Clayton's East Acres in Sikeston.

MAGISTRATE COURT

BENTON — Cases heard Wednesday in Scott County Magistrate Court before Judge Lloyd G. Briggs included:

Probation for Alan Randolph Killion was revoked and he was ordered to begin serving a one-year sentence in the county jail imposed on Feb. 24, 1975 for tampering with a motor vehicle. He was placed on two-year probation at the time of conviction.

Stephen Paul Haupt, possession of hashish (over 5 grams), imposition of sentence deferred for one year.

Debra Kay Walker, issuing no-account check, imposition of sentence deferred for one year.

Herbert Marshall Douglas, possession of marijuana, imposition of sentence deferred for one year under supervision of probation officer.

Gary Barrick, burglary and stealing, attorney appointed and case continued to Dec. 8.

Kenny Bright, burglary and stealing, waived reading of charges and preliminary hearing set Dec. 15.

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Hershel Wiley and William Frank Adams, felony stealing, set for preliminary hearing; Rex Mullendore, two counts of issuing insufficient funds check, set for trial; Audrey Bombe, issuing no-account check; William O. Hobbs, issuing insufficient funds check; and Richard Ray Reeves, careless and imprudent driving, set for trial.

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Ronald Bryant and Harold Patterson, burglary and stealing; Henry Arlie Nordin, driving while intoxicated; Terry Alan Presley, possession of hashish (less than 5 grams); Rickie Lynn Robertson, two counts of stealing over $50, set for preliminary hearing; and Anthony Eual Schaffer, driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana (less than 35 grams).

Fines

Jerry Javis Green, no operator's license, $20; Margaret Ann Spane, no certificate of inspection, expired license plates and no operator's license, $10 on each charge; Ronnie Lee Coleman, speeding, $300; Roger D. Ralls, hunting without a license, $11.80; and Brian Brown and Michael D. Barnes, hunting without a license, $25.

Warrant issued

An arrest warrant was ordered issued for Phillip M. Evans, who failed to appear in court on a charge of issuing an insufficient funds check.

Speeding fines

Paying fines for speeding after entering written guilty pleas were: Michael Andrew Curry, $108.50; Elmer Gene Jones and Douglas W. Maurer, $35; James Henry Williams, Jerry Hall, Randall Dale Bittle, Minh Van Phan, Ulysses Robinson Jr., Joseph L. McClung and Scott Sanders, $25.

Gary Joseph Collins, Susan J. Natwick, Gene Autry Nunnally, Lloyd Pegues, George Tashie, Mildred Marie Stegner, William Laroi Winston, Daniel Stanley Young, Ronald J. Carpenter, James C. Keys, Sonny Lee Owens, Anna Mae Matthews, John Robert LaGrand, Reba Gay Gray, Orie Harold Folsom, Ralph Michael Caliano, Elvis H. Greathouse, Louis Guevara, and James T. Plunk, $15.

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POLICE ARRESTS

Freddie Harris, 111 Westgate St., running red light.

Wyman C. Rodford, 853 Agnes St., failing to yield right-of-way to emergency vehicle.

Frank Leon Loflin, Bell City, driving without valid operator's license and improper registration.

George W. Marmsteadter Jr., Ballwin, public intoxication.

Lillie Mae Barnes, 131 Frisco St., petit larceny at Magic Mart.

CIRCUIT COURT

CHARLESTON — Judge Marshall Craig Thursday dismissed a motion filed in Mississippi County Circuit Court by James Edmond Flowers, 36, and denied his request to set aside a prison sentence assessed against him Jan. 13, 1976 for assault with intent to kill.

Flowers, who pleaded guilty to assault with intent to kill in a change of venue case from New Madrid County, was sentenced to 20 years in custody of the Department of Corrections.

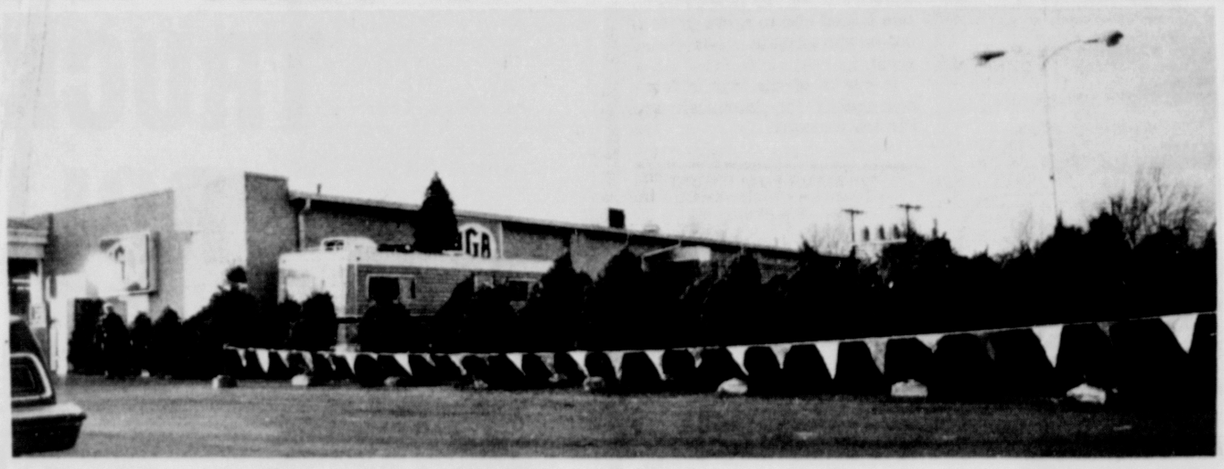
The charge stemmed from a July 13, 1975, assault with a gun on Highway Patrol Trooper Herbert A. Campbell, who was shot while placing Flowers and his brother under arrest for investigation of armed robbery in Pemiscot County. The shooting occurred at a ferry landing on the Mississippi River east of Portageville.

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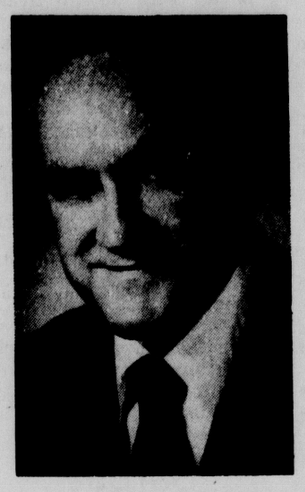
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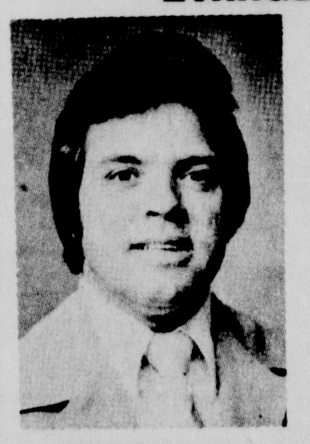
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TRCC choir to present 'Alleluia'

POPLAR BLUFF — The Three Rivers Community College Choir will present two performances of "Alleluia! A Praise Gathering for Believers" this month.

The first performance will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church. the program will be repeated at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 13 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Both performances are open to the public free of charge.

Words and music for "Alleluia" were written by Bill and Gloria Gaither and Ronn Huff. It was arranged and orchestrated by Huff.

According to TRCC choir director Samuel Coryell, "Alleluia" is not a Christmas cantata but serves well for the advent season. The program was presented in several area churches in December 1974. Coryell said the response was so good that he decided to repeat the production this year.

The presentation consists of several of the Gaithers' most popular songs with orchestral accompaniment provided by tape recordings of the original sound track album. Narrator for the program will be Dave Stewart.

Soloists will be Kirk Mondy, Bill Williams, Donna Yeakley, Mary McWilliams and Don Coleman. Also, the trio of Maxine Lemon, Eddie Wunderlich and Mark Bryant will be featured.

Selections to be presented include: "Let's Just Praise the Lord", "Because He Lives", "The Longer I Serve Him", "There's Something About That Name" and others.

Lilbourn church to get new sanctuary

LILBOURN — After about two years of steady growth, the Lilbourn General Baptist Church has embarked upon a building program which church leaders hope will have them in a new sanctuary in time for their annual homecoming Sunday next year.

The attendance has grown from barely two dozen worshippers to number in the 70's in recent months.

The Rev. Randy Thomas of Sikeston, pastor while this growth has taken place, is pleased with the way the church is developing.

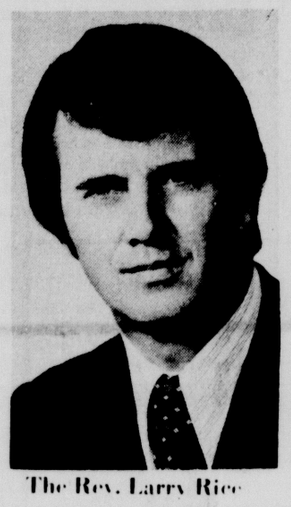
Presently, a new sanctuary is being constructed adjacent to the present building on the west side. The new structure will be of chocolate brown masonry construction, measuring 40 by 70 feet. Entrance will be from the north side, and the congregation will sit facing west. A baptistry will be included.

The existing building will be converted into Sunday School rooms, a kitchen and social area. This will be done after the sanctuary is completed.

It was pointed out that the building program will cost about $25,000, with only the masonry work being contracted. All other work will be done by the church members themselves saving at least $10,000 in building costs.

The existing building will be covered with new siding and painted the same color as the new sanctuary.

When the church holds its annual Sunday homecoming on the second Sunday of March, it hopes to be in the new sanctuary. Work on the present building, however, may not be complete at that time.



The Rev. Larry Rice

Revival set next week

Revival services will open Sunday and continue each evening at 7:30 through next Friday at Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church, 600 S. Kingshighway.

The Rev. Larry Rice, pastor, will serve as the evangelist, and special music will be featued each night.

Nursery care will be available for younger children each evening.

Ham-bean dinner slated Saturday

A ham and bean dinner will be hosted Saturday by Temple of Faith General Baptist Church, 309 Smith St.

Serving will begin at 1 p.m. and will continue throughout the day. The menu includes ham, beans, corn bread, slaw, pie and drinks.

Revival to open Monday at Diehlstadt

DIEHLSTADT — Revival services will begin Monday and continue each night next week through Saturday at the Diehlstadt General Baptist Church, according to the Rev. Ralph Marshall, pastor.

The Rev. Robert Williamson will be the evangelist for the revival services, which will begin at 7 o'clock each evenings.

Harvesters Quartet to sing Sunday

DEXTER — The Harvesters Quartet from St. Louis will sing Sunday morning and afternoon at Second General Baptist Church, located at the corner of Locust and St. Francis streets, the Rev. Lester Dale, pastor, has announced.

The quartet will sing first during the morning worship service, then, following a dinner at the church, will be featured in an afternoon singing program from 2 to 4 o'clock. The Melody Men from Poplar Bluff also will appear on the afternoon program.



The Rev. Ralph Dodson

Dodson to speak to Methodist Men at Oran

ORAN — The Rev. Ralph H. Dodson of Sikeston will be the featured speaker Monday night at the monthly dinner meeting of the United Methodist Men's organization. The dinner will begin at 6:30 in the fellowship hall of the church, with business and speaking to follow.

Louis Roberts is president of the organization, and James Jones is vice president.

The Rev. Mr. Dodson is a member of the Detroit (Mich.) Conference and is now semiretired and living at 401 Virginia St., Sikeston, his home town as a teenage boy. Before moving to Sikeston, he was pastor of the church in Oran.

Since moving to Sikeston, he continues to fill speaking engagements such as for revivals, pulpit supply and different organizations.

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Gospel singing will feature the Laymen's Quartet and others. Sunday School begins at 9:45 and the morning worship service at 11.

The Rev. James Hamlet is pastor. The church is located at 600 N. Goldsmith St.

Gospel singing event planned

The Gospel Sounds from East Prairie and the Jenkins family and The Believers of Sikeston will be featured in a gospel singing program beginning at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Church of God of Prophecy, 1217 W. Malone Ave.

Singing slated

NEW MADRID — A gospel singing program featuring the Songsters from Sikeston will be presented at 2 p.m. Sunday at First General Baptist Church on old Kingshighway, the Rev. Ben Burks, pastor, has announced.

Children's programs set

The children of first United Mehtodist Church, Highway 61 North, will be involved in two programs Sunday – a "Hanging of the Green" project to decorate Sunday School rooms and a "Candles of Memory" program on the miracle of Christmas in story and song.

The "Hanging of the Green" project will start at 2 p.m. All youth and adults of the church are encouraged to decorate their rooms for the Christmas season, an a banner will be awarded for the best decorated room in each of the children, youth and adult divisions.

Brent Mustoe, assistant minister of the church, will aissist with the "Candles of Memory" Christmas program, which will be presented at 3 p.m., and the Philathea Class will provide refreshments afterwards.

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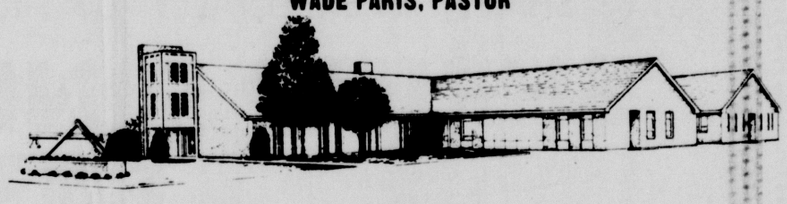
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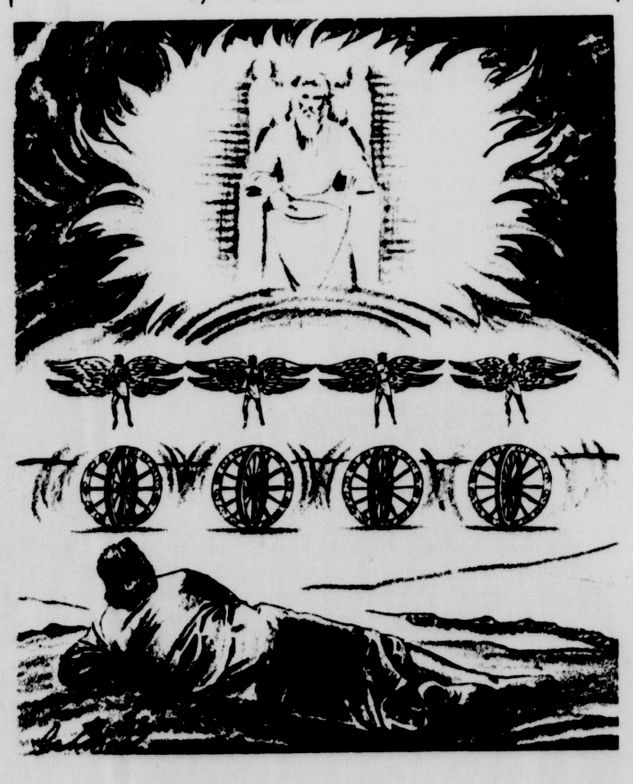
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No. 268. Ezekiel's Visions Begin

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The first vision, involving four man-like forms (each with four faces and two pairs of wings) and four wheels (each with a second wheel crosswise), begins the biblical book of *Ezekiel* and is illustrated above. Ezekiel described his reaction to this vision:

". . . And when I saw it, I fell upon my face, and I heard a voice of one that spake. And he said unto me, Son of man, stand upon thy feet, and I will speak unto thee. And the spirit entered into me when he spake unto me, and set me upon my feet, that I heard him that spake unto me." (Ezekiel 1:28, 2:1-2)

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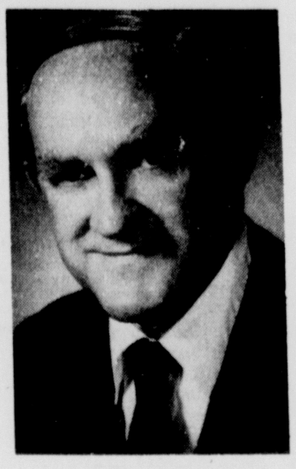
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TRCC choir to present 'Alleluia'

POPLAR BLUFF — The Three Rivers Community College Choir will present two performances of "Alleluia! A Praise Gathering for Believers" this month.

The first performance will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church. the program will be repeated at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 13 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Both performances are open to the public free of charge.

Words and music for "Alleluia" were written by Bill and Gloria Gaither and Ronn Huff. It was arranged and orchestrated by Huff.

According to TRCC choir director Samuel Coryell, "Alleluia" is not a Christmas cantata but serves well for the advent season. The program was presented in several area churches in December 1974. Coryell said the response was so good that he decided to repeat the production this year.

The presentation consists of several of the Gaithers' most popular songs with orchestral accompaniment provided by tape recordings of the original sound track album. Narrator for the program will be Dave Stewart.

Soloists will be Kirk Mondy, Bill Williams, Donna Yeakley, Mary McWilliams and Don Coleman. Also, the trio of Maxine Lemon, Eddie Wunderlich and Mark Bryant will be featured.

Selections to be presented include: "Let's Just Praise the Lord", "Because He Lives", "The Longer I Serve Him", "There's Something About That Name" and others.

Lilbourn church to get new sanctuary

LILBOURN — After about two years of steady growth, the Lilbourn General Baptist Church has embarked upon a building program which church leaders hope will have them in a new sanctuary in time for their annual homecoming Sunday next year.

The attendance has grown from barely two dozen worshippers to number in the 70's in recent months.

The Rev. Randy Thomas of Sikeston, pastor while this growth has taken place, is pleased with the way the church is developing.

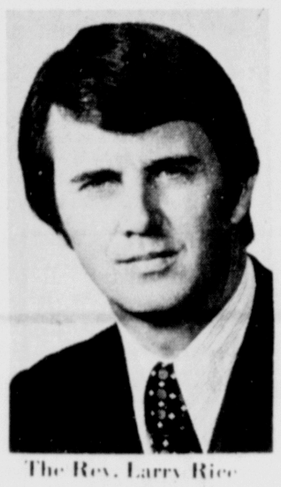
Presently, a new sanctuary is being constructed adjacent to the present building on the west side. The new structure will be of chocolate brown masonry construction, measuring 40 by 70 feet. Entrance will be from the north side, and the congregation will sit facing west. A baptistry will be included.

The existing building will be converted into Sunday School rooms, a kitchen and social area. This will be done after the sanctuary is completed.

It was pointed out that the building program will cost about $25,000, with only the masonry work being contracted. All other work will be done by the church members themselves saving at least $10,000 in building costs.

The existing building will be covered with new siding and painted the same color as the new sanctuary.

When the church holds its annual Sunday homecoming on the second Sunday of March, it hopes to be in the new sanctuary. Work on the present building, however, may not be complete at that time.



The Rev. Larry Rice

Revival set next week

Revival services will open Sunday and continue each evening at 7:30 through next Friday at Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church, 600 S. Kingshighway.

The Rev. Larry Rice, pastor, will serve as the evangelist, and special music will be featued each night.

Nursery care will be available for younger children each evening.

Ham-bean dinner slated Saturday

A ham and bean dinner will be hosted Saturday by Temple of Faith General Baptist Church, 309 Smith St.

Serving will begin at 1 p.m. and will continue throughout the day. The menu includes ham, beans, corn bread, slaw, pie and drinks.

Revival to open Monday at Diehlstadt

DIEHLSTADT — Revival services will begin Monday and continue each night next week through Saturday at the Diehlstadt General Baptist Church, according to the Rev. Ralph Marshall, pastor.

The Rev. Robert Williamson will be the evangelist for the revival services, which will begin at 7 o'clock each evenings.

Harvesters Quartet to sing Sunday

DEXTER — The Harvesters Quartet from St. Louis will sing Sunday morning and afternoon at Second General Baptist Church, located at the corner of Locust and St. Francis streets, the Rev. Lester Dale, pastor, has announced.

The quartet will sing first during the morning worship service, then, following a dinner at the church, will be featured in an afternoon singing program from 2 to 4 o'clock. The Melody Men from Poplar Bluff also will appear on the afternoon program.



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Dodson to speak to Methodist Men at Oran

ORAN — The Rev. Ralph H. Dodson of Sikeston will be the featured speaker Monday night at the monthly dinner meeting of the United Methodist Men's organization. The dinner will begin at 6:30 in the fellowship hall of the church, with business and speaking to follow.

Louis Roberts is president of the organization, and James Jones is vice president.

The Rev. Mr. Dodson is a member of the Detroit (Mich.) Conference and is now semiretired and living at 401 Virginia St., Sikeston, his home town as a teenage boy. Before moving to Sikeston, he was pastor of the church in Oran.

Since moving to Sikeston, he continues to fill speaking engagements such as for revivals, pulpit supply and different organizations.

All-day event set

MALDEN — Appreciation Day will be observed Sunday at Second General Baptist Church in Malden. All-day services will be held and a covered- dish dinner will be served at the noon hour.

Gospel singing will feature the Laymen's Quartet and others. Sunday School begins at 9:45 and the morning worship service at 11.

The Rev. James Hamlet is pastor. The church is located at 600 N. Goldsmith St.

Gospel singing event planned

The Gospel Sounds from East Prairie and the Jenkins family and The Believers of Sikeston will be featured in a gospel singing program beginning at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Church of God of Prophecy, 1217 W. Malone Ave.

Singing slated

NEW MADRID — A gospel singing program featuring the Songsters from Sikeston will be presented at 2 p.m. Sunday at First General Baptist Church on old Kingshighway, the Rev. Ben Burks, pastor, has announced.

Children's programs set

The children of first United Mehtodist Church, Highway 61 North, will be involved in two programs Sunday – a "Hanging of the Green" project to decorate Sunday School rooms and a "Candles of Memory" program on the miracle of Christmas in story and song.

The "Hanging of the Green" project will start at 2 p.m. All youth and adults of the church are encouraged to decorate their rooms for the Christmas season, an a banner will be awarded for the best decorated room in each of the children, youth and adult divisions.

Brent Mustoe, assistant minister of the church, will aissist with the "Candles of Memory" Christmas program, which will be presented at 3 p.m., and the Philathea Class will provide refreshments afterwards.

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THE BIBLE

No. 268. Ezekiel's Visions Begin

Ezekiel, the son of Buzi, was a priest who lived with exiles near the river Chebar in Babylon. When he was 30 years of age, he experienced his first prophetic visions.

The first vision, involving four man-like forms (each with four faces and two pairs of wings) and four wheels (each with a second wheel crosswise), begins the biblical book of *Ezekiel* and is illustrated above. Ezekiel described his reaction to this vision:

". . . And when I saw it, I fell upon my face, and I heard a voice of one that spake. And he said unto me, Son of man, stand upon thy feet, and I will speak unto thee. And the spirit entered into me when he spake unto me, and set me upon my feet, that I heard him that spake unto me." (Ezekiel 1:28, 2:1-2)

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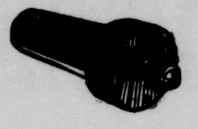
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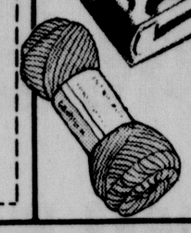
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Judith Wallace, East Prairie
Dorothy Patrick, Charleston
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Eilen Aubychon, East Prairie
James R. Sickal, Sikeston
Paul Barnes, Charleston
Deloris Summers, Wyatt
Ronnie Riley, East Prairie
Edith Lee, Charleston
Reatta Harris, East Prairie
Necia Weakley and baby boy, Charleston
Coy Chappell, Sikeston
Christine Golightly, Charleston

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

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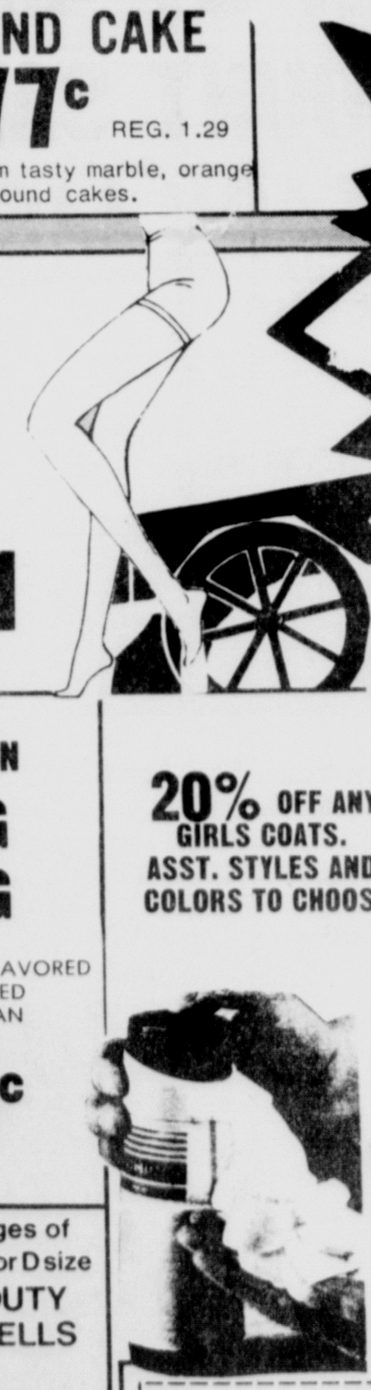
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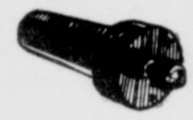
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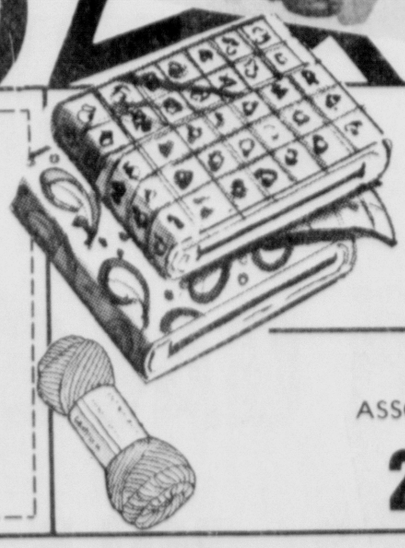


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deceased.)
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Route 1, Chaffee, Missouri
3. Lawrence James Klipfel
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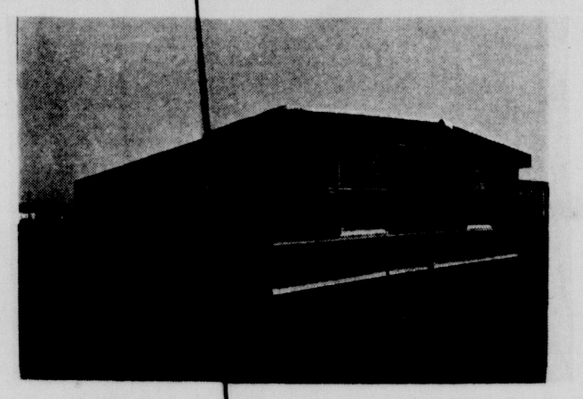
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(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI
In the estate of)
JENNIE P. ALDRIDGE)
deceased)
Estate No. 4653
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF JENNIE P. ALDRIDGE, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 17th day of December, 1976 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

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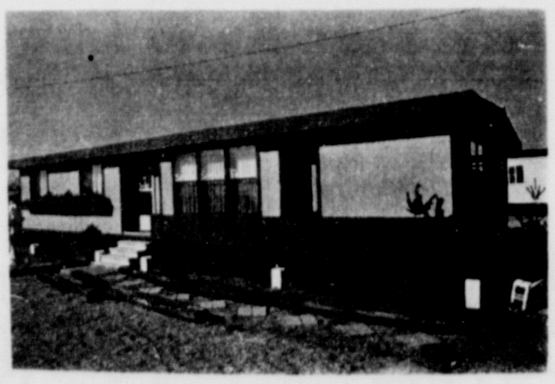


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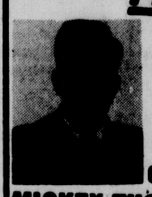
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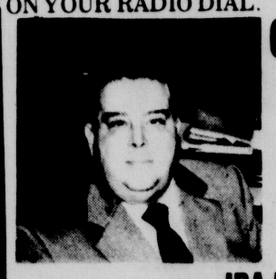
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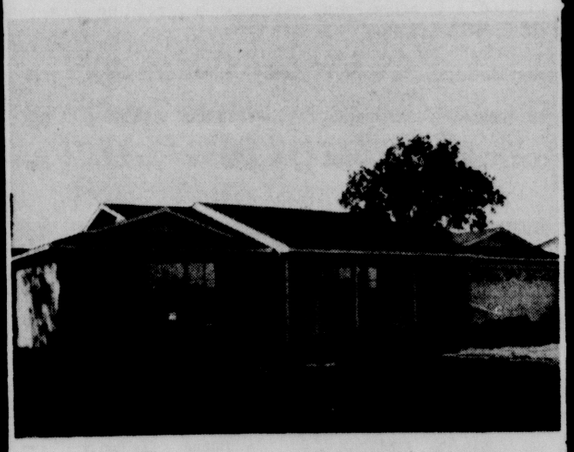

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1410 Henry
Sat., Dec. 4
7 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Boys clothes 12 & 14 coats, baby clothes and items.
Bedspreads and curtains, cookware, console stereo.
Platform rocker, misc items.

ARMY SURPLUS STORE
835 W. Malone
Workmens Garment Outlet
Large Sizes
Low Prices
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THOMAS L. ARNOLD
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New 16 ft. low profile right boat. 150 horsepower Mercury motor. Easy-haul trailer with chrome mag wheels. 2 hours on motor. Will sacrifice. 649-2994, 649-5336.
11-18-76

TG&Y
Kingsway Plaza Mall
We cut keys
We sell live plants

We buy, sell, and trade good used and new guns. 700 in stock. Advance, Mo. 722-3310.
TF

New and Used Air Compressors. Halford Radiator Service 471-4014.

Tell City Furniture. America's finest in early American solid maple. Economy Furniture, 209 W. Commerical Charleston, 683-6733.
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13. Real Estate

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My home for sale in Canalou on Jefferson St. 6 rooms and bath. Sell cheap. 471-4019.
12-10-76

House and 5 acres blacktop road outside city limits of Morley. ½ acre building lots on blacktop road outside city limits of Morley. After 5 p.m. 272-3273.
12-6-76

Ladies apparel store in Southeast Missouri. Good Location. Send inquiry to Daily Standard PO Box DA 100 Sikeston, Mo. 63801
12-7-76

Beautiful 1 acre building lots, restricted, on county black top, near Kelly School. No rural slums. Call owner at 545-3918 or 528-7943.
12-5-76

CANTRELL'S
CROSSROADS REAL ESTATE
FARMS - RESIDENTIAL - COMMERCIAL - INSURANCE
471-2534
RFD 1 SIKESTON, MO. Zip Code 63801

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Real Estate
PHONE 471-3925
REALTOR

For Sale
1975 Town & Country Townhouse Mobile Home
64x12', 2 bedroom,
Like new.
For further information call:
Harold Beaird or
Louis Farris
Phone 471-0920

C.L. Kight Realty
ORAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Large 3 bedroom house with family room & 2 fireplaces. Located at Perkins. 7 miles w. of Oran. Beauty shop & equipment goes with house.
Excellent opportunity for beautician with family.
Large commercial building in Bell City. Ready to occupy.

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733-4187 or
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RFD No. 1 AURORA, KY.
42048
Beautiful Lake Lots Choice Building Lots

Wilson's EAST SIDE ESTATES
471-3700 471-1716
SIKESTON, MO.

126 REUBEN
2 bedroom frame completely redone 820 sq. ft. living area. Has living room, eat in kitchen bath carpeted, gas heat, front porch. New siding and paint. Tile kitchen floor Shade
Call 683-6307 Collect
Thomas H. Bennett, Realtor
or Donna Forbey Associated

THE FULL SERVICE REAL ESTATE AGENCY
REALTOR

NEW LISTING: 807 SYCAMORE. NEW MADRID. PRICE $34,000.
Lots of trees and shrubs surround this three bedroom ranch style home with living room, dining room, family room, study, kitchen with disposal and dishwasher, one and one-half baths. Has carpets, drapes, central heat and air, one car carport, and two outside storage sheds. 1575 sq. ft. of living area.

NEW LISTING: 1309 SHELBY DRIVE. PRICE $37,000.
Everybody enjoys a fireplace. Three bedrooms frame home with living room, family room with fireplace, kitchen with disposal and dishwasher, sewing room, and two full baths. Has carpets, some drapes, electric central heat and air. 1856 sq. ft. of living space.

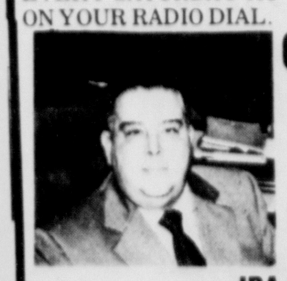
708 MONTGOMERY. PRICE $12,000.
Cozy for a couple. Compact two bedroom frame home with living room, kitchen, utility room, and one bath. Has gas circulator heat. SHOWN BY APPOINTMENT ONLY.

921 HAWTHORN DRIVE. PRICE $44,900.
Lots of beauty and lots of value in this three bedroom brick veneer and frame split foyer home. Consists of family room, breakfast room, built-in kitchen with dishwasher and disposal, living room, dining room and two baths. Has carpets, drapes, central heat and air, one car garage, metal storage building with concrete foundation in the rear. 2144 sq. ft. of living space.

46 DEMENT ROAD. PRICE $37,500.
Delightful eyeful. New three bedroom brick veneer with living room, kitchen with disposal and dishwasher, two full baths, and covered patio. Has carpets, electric central heat and air, and one car garage. 1472 sq. ft. of living space.

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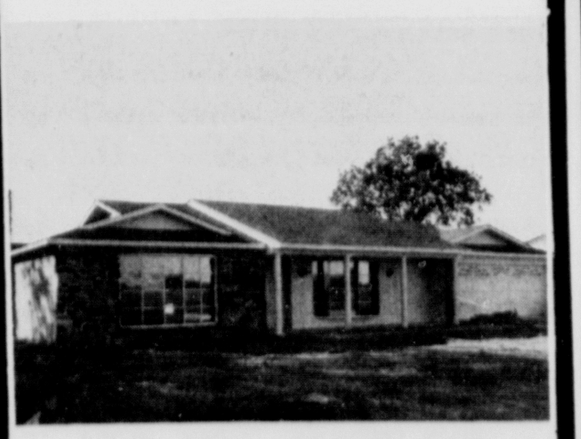
The beginning of a beautiful Christmas!



Christmas will be a time when new items will appear in your home. Gifts to each member of your family will make other items obsolete as far as your family is concerned . . . but other people around here very likely will be in the market for those items and be eager to pay you cash for them. Advertise them today with an inexpensive Classified Ad. Just give us a call and we'll help you word your ad for immediate response.

DAILY STANDARD
471-4141

FOR SALE



NEW CUSTOM ENERGY-CONSERVING HOME
CALL
472-0581 OR 471-2510
FOR APPOINTMENT

6 room 2 story frame house in Matthews. Large lot. 471-0546. 471-2[illegible]4.
12-15-76

For Sale or For Rent
[illegible] sq. ft. Ben Franklin building, located in best business block of Portageville. Complete fixtures [illegible] Contact K. V. Marr 219 E. Main St. Portageville, Mo. 379-3361 or 379-3516 night.
12-5-76

For Sale by Owner
3 bedroom brick on 1 acre lot, 2 full baths Panelled family room, all electric kitchen, central heat and air (gas heat) 2 car garage, 2 patios, Owner being transferred. If interested call collect 686-3434 or [illegible]0831.
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Call us for CASH offer.
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Choice building lots for sale. Average size 100'x150'. Blacktop street, Approx. two miles from Sikeston City Limits. Phone 471-[illegible]6 or 471-3929.

14. Sit. Wanted

Position wanted. Have good geneal management background in trucking, industry, explosive sales distribution, and marketing, resume supplied. Interested in relocating in this general area. Please call Spencer L. Sprayberry 3[illegible] 471-8216 or 314-683-3866.
12-9-76

Wanted to do housework. Will also do laundry. 667-5972.
12-9-76

15. Want to Rent

Wanted to rent or lease Delta Farm Land 40 acres or more cash rent, will pay premium rent Call 3[illegible]-636-8023 after 6:00 p.m. or write H. Wehrs 2312 Allison Drive Jefferson City, Mo. 65101.
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16. Want to Buy

Wanted used trailer. 1 bedroom front, 1 bedroom back, at least 1½ bath. 379-3737, after 5.
12-8-76

18. Help Wanted

Waitresses wanted. Apply in person. Dutch Pantry.
TF

Service station attendant. Apply in person. Kellett Service Station.
12-3-76

Chauffeur wanted for traveling salesman, over 25 years old call [illegible]-5819 for interview.
12-3-76

Waitress wanted Full or part time, Apply in person 9-11 Mon- Friday Sambos Rest. Hwy. 62 East Sikeston, Mo.
12-7-76

Service Station Dealer Wanted Sikeston Area. Small capital investment and references required. Call Rick or Bruce 471-4504.
11-15-76

Full or part-time work. Must have car. Earnings up to and above $1,000.00 per month. Managements position opening soon. Call 472-0215 for appointment and interview.
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Career Opportunities in Kentucky, Georgia, and Louisiana for food service workers and linemen. Ages 17-34. Paid training for those who qualify. Call Army Opportunities at 471-8870.

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Husband and wife teams welcome. Settlement after each trip. We pay milage contract both loaded and empty. Base, tags, and permits furnished. Must own late model COE twin screw tractor.
For more information please call.

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ELECTRICIAN

Need electrician
Experienced in trouble shooting manufacturing machinery.
Must be able to work from electrical drawings of machine control circuits.
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Sikeston, Mo.
Equal opportunity employer

19. Child Care

Responsible person to do babysitting and light housekeeping in my home. 471-7226 or 472-0466.
12-5-76

20. Lost & Found

LOST
Black cocker spaniel. In vicinity of Salcedo. Reward. 471-3845 or 471-0093.
12-5-76

21. Business Opp.

Health minded person, interested in having own business. Call 471-1188 between 6-9 p.m. week- days.
12-17-76

22. Motorcycles

1972 Honda 350. Crash bar, sissy seat, Good condition. Can be seen at Uptown Shell Station. Best offer.
12-5-76

1974 Suzuki TC 185 with 2 helmets. 600 miles. Perfect condition. 683-2015.
12-15-76

1975 Harley Davidson SX250 like new Call 471-9313 after 5.
12-2-76

1974 Harley Davidson. XLCH 1000 cc $1500. 1971 Honda 750 cc Chopper $1000. 471-8465
12-3-76

24. Services

Tree topping, hauling, and removal. Free estimates. 624-3584.
12-9-76

Decorate now for Holidays. Beautiful sprayed ceilings, quality painting, drywall hanging and finishing and repairing. Reasonable prices. References. Free estimate. Call anytime. 667-5514.
12-3-76

Custom backhoe work. Call 471-5333 anytime.
12-18-76

Expert furniture refinishing. Wood only. 471-5966
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Announcing the opening of Murphy's Answering Service. 114 N. West. 471-3214.

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Pregnant and distressed. Birthright Cares. (314) 335-0750
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"Dog Grooming"
Reasonable
471-4630

Remodeling, roofing, masonry work. Terry construction. 471-1477.

Blue Cross through Scott County Farm Bureau. For information call 545-3520.

Framing Pictures, Needlework, keepsakes. 471-0498, Maurice Armstrong, 707 Taylor

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Tree Trimming
Cutting & Removal
Lawns Cleaned
472-0272

26. Pets

Ideal Christmas Gifts
AKC registered Dalmatian pups. Championship bloodlines. 6½ weeks. 624-4409.
12-10-76

Puppies Cockers, Peke-a-poos, Toy Fox Terriers, Poodles, Poms, Bostons, Irish Setters, Deposit holds till Christmas. 1-238-2063.
12-24-76

AKC registered collie. 1½ years old. Been through obedience school. $100.00 471-9482.
12-6-76

A.K.C. registered beagles. Trained and started. Call after 7 p.m. 396-5336.
12-9-76

6 19 week old beagle pups for sale. $10.00 each. Tanner, Mo. Guy Linsman
12-5-76

Bird dog for sale. Call 667-5672.
12-8-76

AKC puppies, cockers, pomeranians. 238-2441.

Registered toy Pekingese, Peke-a-poo and poodle puppies. Ralph Henson, Illmo, Mo. 264-4678.

For sale
AKC Black Doberman Pups
$125.00
Excellent pedigree
Call 471-6078
After 6

For sale
AKC cocker puppies
Red-black-blonde
2 grown males, red & blonde
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1 grown male
AKC Old English sheep dog puppies
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All have shots, wormed, and vet checked. Dew claws and tails bobbed.
243-8309

28. Autos

1972 Monte Carlo. Custom interior ET mags. Full power. Good condition. Sharp. 471-3115.
12-6-76

1975 Yellow Comet. P.S. A.C. Good condition. Radial tires. 748-5008.
12-6-76

'73 Pontiac LeMans Good condition. $2300 471-9482.
12-6-76

1974 Impala 2 door vinyl roof, air conditioned, power steering, and power brakes. Cruise control. 471-8148.
12-8-76

2 1973 Chevrolets. Country Store Blodgett, Mo.
12-6-76

1 34' aluminum dump trailer. 1 1972 LN600 Ford truck. New tires. Good shape. 20' aluminum van. Box on it. 1969 C60 Chevrolet. After 5 p.m. 262-3273.
12-6-76

1973 Volkswagen Beetle. New muffler, carburetor, radial tires. $1600 or best offer. Charleston 683-3881 1308 State St.
12-9-76

1974 Chevy truck 4 wheel drive. 624-3584.
12-9-76

'73 Chevy ½ ton Custom. New motor. Standard shift. Long wheel base. Wide bed. Excellent condition. 667-5174.
12-13-76

1975 Nova. Air conditioned V-8. 3 speed transmission. Call 648-3884.
12-5-76

1973 Buick Limited. P.S. P.B. Air, cruise control. Call 471-6450.
12-5-76

1972 ¾ ton Chevrolet truck with service body. $2200.00 Scott- New Madrid- Mississippi Electric Coop PO Box 520 Sikeston, MO. 63801 Phone 471-5821 (Mr. Hopkins)
12-5-76

'70 Oldsmobile. Very cheap. Call after 5 p.m. 471-4064.
12-9-76

For Sale by Scott County School District R-3 Oran, Missouri. 1 1963 Dodge School Bus, 24 passenger. Interested person contact the office of the Superintendent.
12-8-76

71 Ford Mustang V-8 471-2215 after 5.
12-2-76

1974 Honda Civic 4 speed, air, 471-2908 after 5 p.m.
12-3-76

1962 Chevy pickup 327 Engine $500. 471-8465.
12-3-76

1976 Dunebuggy, tube framing 4 cyl. Volkswagen engine $1200 649-2569.
12-3-76

1973 Buick Electra. 4 door, hardtop. 1 owner $3225. 471-2725.
TF

1971 Plymouth Gold Duster. Slant 6. Automatic. 2 door. $795.00 Russell's Auto Sales Morley, Mo. 262-3952
TF

1976 Ford Van. E-100. 6 cylinder. Power brakes. Like new. After 5 471-8891.

30. Farm Supplies

150 bushel 8" auger wagon with engine. No PTO or hydraulic necessary. 2 years old. 471-5577.
TF

Save $1.00 per ton off regular price on red or white limestone. Call Terrell Lime Co. 471-5153 or 683-6390.

31. Mobile Homes For Sale

1972 12x50 2 bedroom mobile home. On 1 acre lot. Call after 5 471-6583.
12-9-76

House trailer for sale. 10x50 58 model Anderson. 688-5082 after 5 p.m.
12-8-76

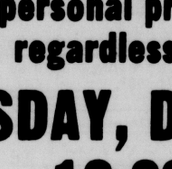
Restaurant Guide

GRECIAN STEAK HOUSE
531 GREER AVE
1 blk S. Hwy 61
7 Malone Ave.

Pizza Inn
1905 E. Malone
471-859
PIZZA

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Enjoy the best of 2 continents finest Oriental foods.
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FARM SALE

WE ARE REDUCING OUR FARMING OPERATIONS, and will sell at public auction the following described personal property to the highest regardless of price.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8th, 1976, 10:00 AM
RAIN OR SHINE

LOCATION

7 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MATTHEWS, MO. GO 4 MILES WEST OF MATTHEWS THEN 3 MILES SOUTH ON GRAVEL ROAD GO 4 MILES WEST OF KEWANEE, MO. THEN 2 MILES NORTH ON AIR LINE ROAD. GO 11 MILES SOUTH OF SIKESTON, MO. ON HIGHWAY 61 AND 62 TO HH HIGHWAY, THEN WEST ON HH TO OUR FARM. LOOK FOR 2 BIG SILOS.

TRACTORS-COTTON PICKER & COMBINE

1-1976 -1466 IHC diesel tractor, cab, air A.M., F.M. radio, factory duals only 590 hrs. weights T.A. & 18.4x38 tires
1-1969 -4520 John Deere diesel power shift-roll guard 20.8x38 Rice & Cane tires, wts.
1-1969-4520 John Deere diesel tractor standard trans. 20.8x38 tires, weights
1-1972-4020 John Deere 18.4x34 tires, weights
2-Quick hitches for 4520 John Deere tractor
1-Set 18.4x34 M & W snap on duals
1-Set 20.8x38 M & W snap on duals
1-Super M Farmall
1-1975 -616 cotton picker automatic header, dripsystem, cab, radio, diesel, hyd-static picked only 140 bales cotton-extra clean
1-John Deere model 105 combine w love bar 16 ft header M & W controls
1-435 corn header for above combine

TRUCKS & TRAILERS

1-1974 Dodge 4 wheel drive-power wagon (loaded)
1-1973 Ford pick-up, air, new tires, split rear window-2 wheel
1-1965 GMC 2 ton truck, metal grain bed-hoist 2 speed axle-good
1-1965 Ford 2 ton wood grain bed with cattle racks hoist, 2 speed axle-good
2-1974 Little Red Wagons
1-1000 gallon water trailer-5 horse gas motor & pump-heavy duty trailer
7-Cotton trailers metal beds 20 ft-24 ft
2-Cotton trailers tandem 40 ft-32 ft
1-1969 Eddins Rice buggy

IMPLEMENTS

1-51 unit John Deere 6 row planter-fiberglass hoppers regular or double disc openers, hill drop, pre-merge, furrow openers extended hitch
1-24 hole IHC grain drill-big rubber
1-5 ton stainless steel fert spreader 1 year old
1-John Deere spredder 2 row 227 3 pt hitch
1-1000 gal L.P. tank
4-Fuel tanks for pick-ups
2-Junk trucks
1-Set 6 row amco markers
1-Rhino 8 ft grader blade 3 pt hitch
1-Eversman 4012 land plane
2-480 IHC disc harrows 19½ ft
1-John Deere 5 botto m 16 in semi-mount breaking plow
1-6 row Amco ripper hippers
1-John Deere 6 row rotary hoe (new style)
1-6 row John Deere fold up do-all
1-KMC rolling cult. 6 row over the row gauges
1-1975 RM 60-6 row cult
1-6 row John Deere middel buster
1-6 row Noble Vibra shank cult
1-6 row Dickey-vator
1-6 row fender sprayer
1-6 in auger electric motor
1-8 in auger PTO drive
2-Reynolds scoops, baby train w/hook ups- good condition
1-Amco PTO ditcher
1-1000 gal fuel tank
2-200 gal tank sets
1-Amco 7 tine sub-moisture plow
1-Johnson 7 tine sub-moisture plow
1-1310 service 4 row stalk cutter
1-6 row hydraulic fold-up Noble do-all

SHOP & OTHER EQUIPMENT

1-CB radio
1-500 1-500 gallon water tank
1-46A John Deere loader
1-Air tire changer
1-225 amp Lincoln welder
1-Air compressor
1-Set acetylene torches
1-Transmission gun
1-Complete Sioux value grinder-good
1-M&W power take off dyuawomenter-good
1-Kingsman cirulating parts washer (new)
1-New Marquette growler
1-Bacharach nozzle tester (new)
1-Electric sander & grinder heavy duty
1-Spindle bar straightener
1-Rebuilt head for 4520 Joh n Deer tractor (diesel)
1-Motor for 95 John Deere combine
1-Lot of new gauge wheels
1-Ruth Berry water pump
1-Wayne Horner water pump
1-Shop ice box
1-Upright 300 gal gas tank
1-4 wheel flat bed trailer
1-V ditcher 3 pt hitch
1-Lincoln power unit welder on 2 wheeler
1-¾ impact wrench
1-New love barsickle
1-Cabinet of new parts
1-Lot of shop & parts manual
1-Steel parts bin
1-Lot of new bearings
2-Roll a round wrench cabinets
1-Lot of hyd. cyclinders
1-Rebuilt head for 105 Joh n Deere combine motor (gas)
1-Motor for 95 John Deere combine
1-Hamburger grill commercial size
1-Camper for long wheel base pickup truck-elec bottle gas-fullly equipped self contained

NOTHING WILL BE SOLD AT THIS SALE EXCEPT THE ABOVE LISTING, EVERYTHING WILL SELL NO REJECTS

TERMS CASH DAY OF SALE
LUNCH WILL BE SERVED

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BECK & McCORD AUCTION CO.
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FARM LAND FOR RENT

The Circuit Court has appointed the undersigned as receiver for the purpose of leasing, on a cash rent basis, approximately 2,300 acres of land, owned by Crane and Harrison, near Dexter, Stoddard County, Missouri. Sealed bids will be accepted for the rental of the entire acreage or for individual tracts. Renters will receive the wheat crop planted on part of the acreage. Several houses will be rented apart from the land. For specific information and bid forms contact:

JAMES E. McGHEE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
16 NORTH ELM
DEXTER, MISSOURI 63841
314/624/3176

FARM SALE

I am retiring from farming & will sell at public auction the following described personal property to the highest bidder.

LOCATION: 3 miles from Malden, Mo. on Highway J ¾ miles west of Valley Ridge Gin on Highway J. Sale will be held on the Earl Whitehead Farm.

TUESDAY, , DEC. 7, 1976
10:A.M. RAIN OR SHINE

TRACTORS & COMBINES

1-1968 John Deere diesel 4020 tractor w all extras, one owner, extra clean, extra good rubber
1-John Deere 720 diesel tractor good condition
2-Tractor tires 18.4x34-Good
1-1971 G Gleaner combine w V8 motor, 16 ft header, hyd control pickup reel, cab, extra clean one owner
1-Gleaner 4 row corn header for above combine, like new

TRUCKS & TRAILERS

1-1963 2 ton Chev. truck w V8 motor w good grain bed-Good
1-1956 2 ton Chev. truck w V8 motor w good grain bed-good condition
2-Cotton trailers w 24 ft beds
1-2 wheel trailer
1-4 wheel trailer w flat bed
1-John Deere 4 wheel trailer

IMPLEMENTS

1-John Deere 6 row cult. w seal rings gauge wheels & springs 1 both foot pieces 3 pt hitch, extra clean
1-Set of 6 row rolling fenders
1-John Deere 6 row bellymount planter clean and good
1-John Deere grain drill 14 hole double disc openers-clean
1-Durham 14 ft. cult-a-packer
1-IHC flexible 3 section 15 ft. harrow
1-A.C. 13½ ft disc w cylinder
1-A.C. chisel plow, 9 tines, 3 pt hitch
1-IHC disc pull type
1-John Deere 5 bottom 14 in plow, 3 pt hitch, extra clean ? good
1-Eversman dirt scoop 5 yards-clean
1-Eversman land plain 10 ft blade

OTHER ITEMS

1-Portable air compresser, like new w 2 horse motor & hose
1-Large water tank
1-Gas motor & pump, like new
2-John Deere antique horse drawn mowers.
1-Tractor post hole digger
1-Garden tiller 5 hp same as new
1-Home Lite chain saw
1-Fairbanks Morse 11 in hammer mill w feed collector.
1-Grain auger 4 in by 14 w elect motor
1-Self hot feeder 10 hole-very good
1-Self pig feeder
1-Spray rig w 200 gallon fiberglass tank & pump, 3 pt hitch

The following equipment will be sold by Mr. Earl Whitehead.

1-Ford 4000 tractor w all extras, good rubber, very clean
1-6 ft pickup disc 3 pt hitch w 18 in notch blades-like new
1-Ford 3 bottom 14 in plow seal bearing colters
1-Ford 2 row cult
1-Ford pickup box
1-Ford dirt scoop
1-2 wheel trailer w bed
1-Tuff Boy 2 row stalk shredder
1-2 wheel Low Boy trailer
1-Concrete mixer w electric motor
1-Big Ox 8 ft grader blade, 3 pt hitch

TERMS: CASH DAY OF SALE
LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE

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6 room 2 story frame house in Matthews. Large lot. 471-0546. 471-2564.
12-15-76

For Sale or For Rent
3000 sq. ft. Ben Franklin building, located in best business block of Portageville. Complete fixtures etc. Contact K. V. Marr 219 E. Main St. Portageville, Mo. 379-3361 or 379-3516 night.
12-5-76

For Sale by Owner
3 bedroom brick on 1 acre lot, 2 full baths Panelled family room, all electric kitchen, central heat and air (gas heat) 2 car garage, 2 patios, Owner being transferred. If interested call collect 686-3434 or 686-0831.
12-13-76

SELLING YOUR HOME
Need a Quick Sale?
Call us for CASH offer.
Alcorn Real Estate
471-7777
TF

Choice building lots for sale. Average size 100'x150'. Blacktop street, Approx. two miles from Sikeston City Limits. Phone 471-5486 or 471-3929.

14. Sit. Wanted

Position wanted. Have good geneal management background in trucking, industry, explosive sales distribution, and marketing, Resume supplied. Interested in relocating in this general area. Please call Spencer L. Sprayberry 314 471-8216 or 314-683-3866.
12-9-76

Wanted to do housework. Will also do laundry. 667-5972.
12-9-76

15. Want to Rent

Wanted to rent or lease Delta Farm Land 40 acres or more cash rent, will pay premium rent Call 314 636-8023 after 6:00 p.m. or write R. H. Wehrs 2312 Allison Drive Jefferson City, Mo. 65101.
TF

16. Want to Buy

Wanted used trailer. 1 bedroom apt, 1 bedroom back, at least 1½ bath. 379-3737, after 5.
12-8-76

18. Help Wanted

Waitresses wanted. Apply in person. Dutch Pantry.
TF

Service station attendant. Apply in person. Kellett Service Station.
12-3-76

Chauffeur wanted for traveling salesman, over 25 years old call 471-5819 for interview.
12-3-76

Waitress wanted Full or part time, Apply in person 9-11 Mon- Friday Sambos Rest. Hwy. 62 East Sikeston, Mo.
12-7-76

Service Station Dealer Wanted Sikeston Area. Small capital investment and references required. Call Rick or Bruce 471-4504.
11-15-76

Full or part-time work. Must have car. Earnings up to and above $1,000.00 per month. Managements position opening soon. Call 472-0215 for appointment and interview.
TF

Career Opportunities in Kentucky, Georgia, and Louisiana for food service workers and linemen. Ages 17-34. Paid training for those who qualify. Call Army Opportunities at 471-8870.

Challenging interesting work in Europe plus a $1500 bonus if you qualify. No experience required. Ages 17-34. Call Army Opportunities at 471-8870.

Lease contractors
Permanent contracts

Husband and wife teams welcome. Settlement after each trip. We pay milage contract both loaded and empty. Base, tags, and permits furnished. Must own late model COE twin screw tractor.
For more information please call.

Home Transportation Co.
1-800-255-6440
913-782-8515

ELECTRICIAN

Need electrician
Experienced in trouble shooting manufacturing machinery.
Must be able to work from electrical drawings of machine control circuits.
Reply to Daily Standard
PO Box BW 100
Sikeston, Mo.
Equal opportunity employer

19. Child Care

Responsible person to do babysitting and light housekeeping in my home. 471-7226 or 472-0466.
12-5-76

20. Lost & Found

LOST
Black cocker spaniel. In vicinity of Salcedo. Reward. 471-3845 or 471-0093.
12-5-76

21. Business Opp.

Health minded person, interested in having own business. Call 471-1188 between 6-9 p.m. week-days.
12-17-76

22. Motorcycles

1972 Honda 350. Crash bar, sissy seat, Good condition. Can be seen at Uptown Shell Station. Best offer.
12-5-76

1974 Suzuki TC 185 with 2 helmets. 600 miles. Perfect condition. 683-2015.
12-15-76

1975 Harley Davidson SX250 like new Call 471-9313 after 5.
12-2-76

1974 Harley Davidson. XLCH 1000 cc $1500. 1971 Honda 750 cc Chopper $1000. 471-8465
12-3-76

24. Services

Tree topping, hauling, and removal. Free estimates. 624-3584.
12-9-76

Decorate now for Holidays. Beautiful sprayed ceilings, quality painting, drywall hanging and finishing and repairing. Reasonable prices. References. Free estimate. Call anytime. 667-5514.
12-3-76

Custom backhoe work. Call 471-5333 anytime.
12-18-76

Expert furniture refinishing. Wood only. 471-5966
12-9-76

Byrd Auto Salvage
Benton, Mo.
We install motors and transmissions. 471-6194 545-3877
TF

Announcing the opening of Murphy's Answering Service. 114 N. West. 471-3214.

Appliance & Heating Repair. Large or small. Gas-electric. 471-7750.
TF

Mobile Home Central Air conditioning. 3 ton Unit Normal Installation $750.00 plus tax. 3½ and 4 ton Units available. Canoy's Service 471-7737.

Pregnant and distressed. Birthright Cares. (314) 335-0750
TF

"Dog Grooming"
Reasonable
471-4630

Remodeling, roofing, masonry work. Terry construction. 471-1477.

Blue Cross through Scott County Farm Bureau. For information call 545-3520.

Framing Pictures, Needlework, keepsakes. 471-0498, Maurice Armstrong, 707 Taylor

USE THE DAILY STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Tree Trimming

Cutting & Removal

Lawns Cleaned
472-0272

26. Pets

Ideal Christmas Gifts
AKC registered Dalmatian pups. Championship bloodlines. 6½ weeks. 624-4409.
12-10-76

Puppies Cockers, Peke-a-poos, Toy Fox Terriers, Poodles, Poms, Bostons, Irish Setters, Deposit holds till Christmas. 1-238-2063.
12-24-76

AKC registered collie. 1½ years old. Been through obedience school. $100.00 471-9482.
12-6-76

A.K.C. registered beagles. Trained and started. Call after 7 p.m. 396-5336.
12-9-76

6 19 week old beagle pups for sale. $10.00 each. Tanner, Mo. Guy Linsman
12-5-76

Bird dog for sale. Call 667-5672.
12-8-76

AKC puppies, cockers, pomeranians. 238-2441.

Registered toy Pekingese, Peke-a-poo and poodle puppies. Ralph Henson, Illmo, Mo. 264-4678.

For sale
AKC Black Doberman Pups
$125.00
Excellent pedigree
Call 471-6078
After 6

For sale
AKC cocker puppies
Red-black-blonde
2 grown males, red & blonde
AKC collie puppies-3 sizes
1 grown male
AKC Old English sheep dog puppies
down payment holds till Christmas
All have shots, wormed, and vet checked. Dew claws and tails bobbed.
243-8309

28. Autos

1972 Monte Carlo. Custom interior ET mags. Full power. Good condition. Sharp. 471-3115.
12-6-76

1975 Yellow Comet. P.S. A.C. Good condition. Radial tires. 748-5008.
12-6-76

'73 Pontiac LeMans Good condition. $2300 471-9482.
12-6-76

1974 Impala 2 door vinyl roof, air conditioned, power steering, and power brakes. Cruise control. 471-8148.
12-8-76

2 1973 Chevrolets. Country Store Blodgett, Mo.
12-6-76

1 34' aluminum dump trailer. 1 1972 LN600 Ford truck. New tires. Good shape. 20' aluminum van. Box on it. 1969 C60 Chevrolet. After 5 p.m. 262-3273.
12-6-76

1973 Volkswagen Beetle. New muffler, carburetor, radial tires. $1600 or best offer. Charleston 683-3881 1308 State St.
12-9-76

1974 Chevy truck 4 wheel drive. 624-3584.
12-9-76

'73 Chevy ½ ton Custom. New motor. Standard shift. Long wheel base. Wide bed. Excellent condition. 667-5174.
12-13-76

1975 Nova. Air conditioned V-8. 3 speed transmission. Call 648-3884.
12-5-76

1973 Buick Limited. P.S. P.B. Air, cruise control. Call 471-6450.
12-5-76

1972 ¾ ton Chevrolet truck with service body. $2200.00 Scott- New Madrid- Mississippi Electric Coop PO Box 520 Sikeston, MO. 63801 Phone 471-5821 (Mr. Hopkins)
12-5-76

'70 Oldsmobile. Very cheap. Call after 5 p.m. 471-4064.
12-9-76

For Sale by Scott County School District R-3 Oran, Missouri. 1 1963 Dodge School Bus, 24 passenger. Interested person contact the office of the Superintendent.
12-8-76

71 Ford Mustang V-8 471-2215 after 5.
12-2-76

1974 Honda Civic 4 speed, air, 471-2908 after 5 p.m.
12-3-76

1962 Chevy pickup 327 Engine $500. 471-8465.
12-3-76

1976 Dunebuggy, tube framing 4 cyl. Volkswagen engine $1200 649-2569.
12-3-76

1973 Buick Electra. 4 door, hardtop. 1 owner $3225. 471-2725.
TF

1971 Plymouth Gold Duster. Slant 6. Automatic. 2 door. $795.00 Russell's Auto Sales Morley, Mo. 262-3952
TF

1976 Ford Van. E-100. 6 cylinder. Power brakes. Like new. After 5 471-8891.

30. Farm Supplies

150 bushel 8" auger wagon with engine. No PTO or hydraulic necessary. 2 years old. 471-5577.
TF

Save $1.00 per ton off regular price on red or white limestone. Call Terrell Lime Co. 471-5153 or 683-6390.

31. Mobile Homes For Sale

1972 12x50 2 bedroom mobile home. On 1 acre lot. Call after 5 471-6583.
12-9-76

House trailer for sale. 10x50 58 model Anderson. 688-5082 after 5 p.m.
12-8-76

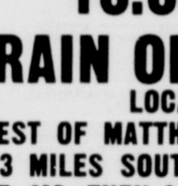
Restaurant Guide

GRECIAN STEAK HOUSE
531 GREER AVE
1 blk S. Hwy 61
7 Malone Ave.

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471-859
PIZZA

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471-4487

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471-1318
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911 E. Malone
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Enjoy the best of 2 continents finest Oriental foods.
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DON'S DRAGON INN
Bloomfield, Mo.

FARM SALE

WE ARE REDUCING OUR FARMING OPERATIONS, and will sell at public auction the following described personal property to the highest regardless of price.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8th, 1976, 10:00 AM
RAIN OR SHINE

LOCATION

7 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MATTHEWS, MO. GO 4 MILES WEST OF MATTHEWS THEN 3 MILES SOUTH ON GRAVEL ROAD GO 4 MILES WEST OF KEWANEE, MO. THEN 2 MILES NORTH ON AIR LINE ROAD. GO 11 MILES SOUTH OF SIKESTON, MO. ON HIGHWAY 61 AND 62 TO HH HIGHWAY, THEN WEST ON HH TO OUR FARM. LOOK FOR 2 BIG SILOS.

TRACTORS-COTTON PICKER & COMBINE
1-1976 -1466 IHC diesel tractor, cab, air A.M., F.M. radio, factory duals only 590 hrs. weights T.A. & 18.4x38 tires
1-1969 -4520 John Deere diesel power shift-roll guard 20.8x38 Rice & Cane tires, wts.
1-1969-4520 John Deere diesel tractor standard trans. 20.8x38 tires, weights
1-1972-4020 John Deere 18.4x34 tires, weights
2-Quick hitches for 4520 John Deere tractor
1-Set 18.4x34 M & W snap on duals
1-Set 20.8x38 M & W snap on duals
1-Super M Farmall
1-1975 -616 cotton picker automatic header, dripsystem, cab, radio diesel, hyd-static picked only 140 bales cotton-extra clean
1-John Deere model 105 combine w/love bar 16 ft header M & W controls
1-435 corn header for above combine

TRUCKS & TRAILERS
1-1974 Dodge 4 wheel drive-power wagon (loaded)
1-1973 Ford pick-up, air, new tires, split rear window-2 wheel
1-1965 GMC 2 ton truck, metal grain bed-hoist 2 speed axle-good
1-1965 Ford 2 ton wood grain bed with cattle racks hoist, 2 speed axle-good
2-1974 Little Red Wagons
1-1000 gallon water trailer-5 horse gas motor & pump-heavy duty trailer
7-Cotton trailers metal beds 20 ft-24 ft
2-Cotton trailers tandem 40 ft-32 ft
1-1969 Eddins Rice buggy

IMPLEMENTS
1-51 unit John Deere 6 row planter-fiberglass hoppers regular or double disc openers, hill drop, pre-merge, furrow openers extended hitch
1-24 hole IHC grain drill-big rubber
1-5 ton stainless steel fert spreader 1 year old
1-John Deere spredder 2 row 227 3 pt hitch
1-1000 gal L.P. tank
4-Fuel tanks for pick-ups
2-Junk trucks
1-Set 6 row amco markers
1-Rhino 8 ft grader blade 3 pt hitch
1-Eversman 4012 land plane
2-480 IHC disc harrows 19½ ft
1-John Deere 5 botto m 16 in semi-mount breaking plow
1-6 row Amco ripper hippers
1-John Deere 6 row rotary hoe (new style)
1-6 row John Deere fold up do-all
1-KMC rolling cult. 6 row over the row gauges
1-1975 RM 60-6 row cult
1-6 row John Deere middel buster
1-6 row Noble Vibra shank cult
1-6 row Dickey-vator
1-6 row fender sprayer
1-6 in auger electric motor
1-8 in auger PTO drive
2-Reynolds scoops, baby train w/hook ups- good condition
1-Amco PTO ditcher
1-1000 gal fuel tank
2-200 gal tank sets
1-Amco 7 tine sub-moisture plow
1-Johnson 7 tine sub-moisture plow
1-1310 service 4 row stalk cutter
1-6 row hydraulic fold-up Noble do-all

SHOP & OTHER EQUIPMENT
1-CB radio
1-500 1-500 gallon water tank
1-46A John Deere loader
1-Air tire changer
1-225 amp Lincoln welder
1-Air compressor
1-Set acetylene torches
1-Transmission gun
1-Complete Sioux value grinder-good
1-M&W power take off dyuawomenter-good
1-Kingsman cirulating parts washer (new)
1-New Marquette growler
1-Bacharach nozzle tester (new)
1-Electric sander & grinder heavy duty
1-Spindle bar straightener
1-Rebuilt head for 4520 Joh n Deer tractor (diesel)
1-Motor for 95 John Deere combine
1-Lot of new gauge wheels
1-Ruth Berry water pump
1-Wayne Horner water pump
1-Shop ice box
1-Upright 300 gal gas tank
1-4 wheel flat bed trailer
1-V ditcher 3 pt hitch
1-Lincoln power unit welder on 2 wheeler
1-¾ impact wrench
1-New love barsickle
1-Cabinet of new parts
1-Lot of shop & parts manual
1-Steel parts bin
1-Lot of new bearings
2-Roll a round wrench cabinets
1-Lot of hyd. cyclinders
1-Rebuilt head for 105 Joh n Deere combine motor (gas)
1-Motor for 95 John Deere combine
1-Hamburger grill commercial size
1-Camper for long wheel base pickup truck-elec bottle gas-fullly equipped self contained

NOTHING WILL BE SOLD AT THIS SALE EXCEPT THE ABOVE LISTING, EVERYTHING WILL SELL NO REJECTS

TERMS CASH DAY OF SALE
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ESSARY FARMS

TOM ESSARY, OWNER PHONE 314-471-4437
BECK & McCORD AUCTION CO.
SIKESTON, MO. P.O. BOX 826 PHONE 314-471-4672

FARM LAND FOR RENT

The Circuit Court has appointed the undersigned as receiver for the purpose of leasing, on a cash rent basis, approximately 2,300 acres of land, owned by Crane and Harrison, near Dexter, Stoddard County, Missouri. Sealed bids will be accepted for the rental of the entire acreage or for individual tracts. Renters will receive the wheat crop planted on part of the acreage. Several houses will be rented apart from the land. For specific information and bid forms contact:

JAMES E. McGHEE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
16 NORTH ELM
DEXTER, MISSOURI 63841
314/624/3176

FARM SALE

I am retiring from farming & will sell at public auction the following described personal property to the highest bidder.

LOCATION: 3 miles from Malden, Mo. on Highway J ¾ miles west of Valley Ridge Gin on Highway J. Sale will be held on the Earl Whitehead Farm.

TUESDAY, , DEC. 7, 1976
10:A.M. RAIN OR SHINE

TRACTORS & COMBINES
1-1968 John Deere diesel 4020 tractor w/all extras, one owner, extra clean, extra good rubber
1-John Deere 720 diesel tractor good condition
2-Tractor tires 18.4x34-Good
1-1971 G Gleaner combine w/V8 motor, 16 ft header, hyd control pickup reel, cab, extra clean one owner
1-Gleaner 4 row corn header for above combine, like new

TRUCKS & TRAILERS
1-1963 2 ton Chev. truck w/V8 motor w/good grain bed-Good
1-1956 2 ton Chev. truck w/V8 motor w/good grain bed-good condition
2-Cotton trailers w/24 ft beds
1-2 wheel trailer
1-4 wheel trailer w/flat bed
1-John Deere 4 wheel trailer

IMPLEMENTS
1-John Deere 6 row cult. w/seal bearings gauge wheels & springs with foot pieces 3 pt hitch, extra clean
1-Set of 6 row rolling fenders
1-John Deere 6 row bellymount planter clean and good
1-John Deere grain drill 14 hoe double disc openers clean
1-Durham 14 ft. cult-a-packer
1-IHC flexible 3 section 15 ft. harrow
1-A.C. 13½ ft disc w/cylinder
1-A.C. chisel plow 9 tines, 3 pt hitch
1-IHC disc pull type
1-John Deere 5 bottom 14 in plow, 3 pt hitch, extra clean ? good
1-Eversman dirt scoop 5 yards-clean
1-Eversman land plain 10 ft blade

OTHER ITEMS
1-Portable air compresser, like new w/2 horse motor & hose
1-Large water tank
1-Gas motor & pump, like new
2-John Deere antique horse drawn mowers.
1-Tractor post hole digger
1-Garden tiller 5 hp same as new
1-Home Lite chain saw
1-Fairbanks Morse 11 in hammer mill w/feed collector.
1-Grain auger 4 in by 14 w/elect motor
1-Self hot feeder 10 hole-very good
1-Self pig feeder
1-Spray rig w/200 gallon fiberglass tank & pump, 3 pt hitch

The following equipment will be sold by Mr. Earl Whitehead.
1-Ford 4000 tractor w/all extras, good rubber, very clean
1-6 ft pickup disc 3 pt hitch w/18 in notch blades-like new
1-Ford 3 bottom 14 in plow seal bearing colters
1-Ford 2 row cult
1-Ford pickup box
1-Ford dirt scoop
1-2 wheel trailer w/bed
1-Tuff Boy 2 row stalk shredder
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12-2-76

For Sale In Benton 2 bedroom mobile home on 2 large lots. Call 545-3663.
11-30-76

32. Rec. Vehicles

27 ft. Airstream. 1967 Model. Air, heat, gas, clean. Excellent condition. $5800. Call 293-5876 Bernie.
12-9-76

Scott Land Levelers for Sale

If you would like a land leveler that features 3 angle blades, and will shed damp, trashy dirt. Also one you can pull with 100 h.p. Farm tractor.

Call 314-283-5809 or
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or 471-7199 471-3760

LOOKING FOR SOME FARMLAND?...

253 Acres - Northeast of Sikeston, Mo. Improvements on farm.

80 Acres - South of Morley, Mo. No improvements on farm.

165 Acres - West of Vanduser, Mo. No improvements on farm.

160 Acres -East of Portageville, Mo. on this side of the levee. No improvements on farm.

180 Acres - Northwest of Delta, Mo. Improvements on farm. Fenced and cross-fenced. 100 acres in permanent pasture and 80 acres in woods. 3 ponds (stocks w-fish) & a spring that never goes dry. Excellent farm for hunting deer, turkey, squirrel, rabbit & etc.

1130 Acres - Combination cotton, rice and bean farm. Good improvement, plenty of water for irrigation. A good Delta Farm, well located, 6 miles from Greenwood, Mississippi.

80 Acres - Northwest of Delta, Mo. Improvements on farm includes a modern 3-bedroom split-level brick home. The farm is well-fenced.

725 Acres - Northeast of Princeton, Ky. 200 to 300 acres open land, stocked 25 acre lake, modern 2 b edroom home with 7 barns and 5 ponds.

160 Acres - Southwest of Sikeston, Mo. Half put to grade. No improvements on farm.

1060 Acres - North of Metropolis, Ill. Improvements on farm.

475 Acres - South of Princeton, Ky. Ideal stock farm, 100 plus acres open, 2 springs. Would make excellent hunting farm.



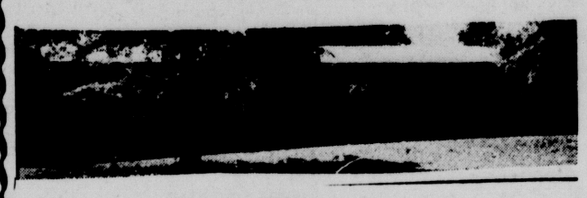
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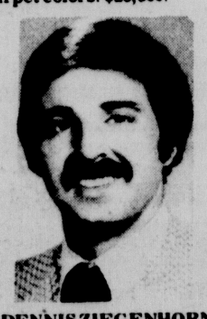
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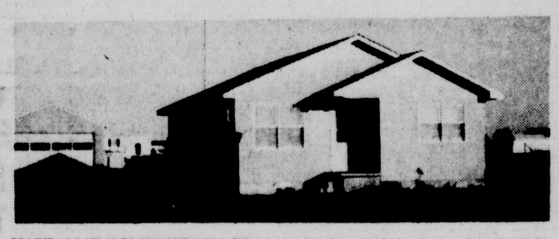
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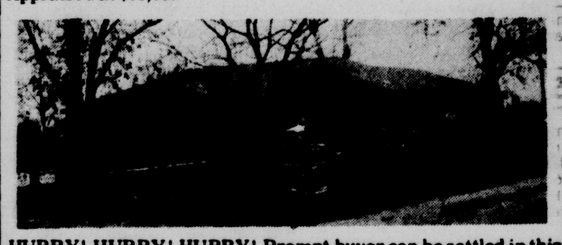
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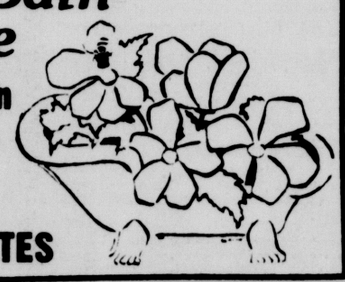


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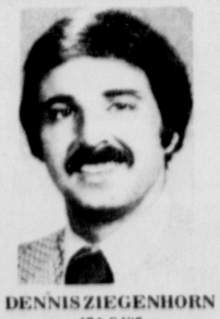
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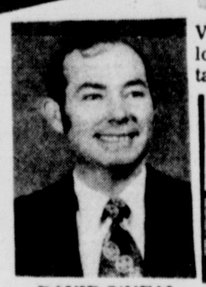
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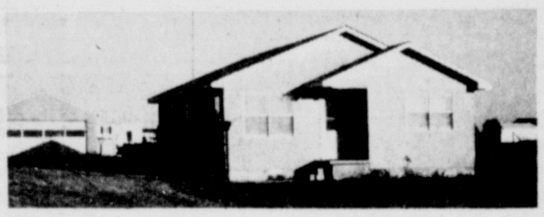
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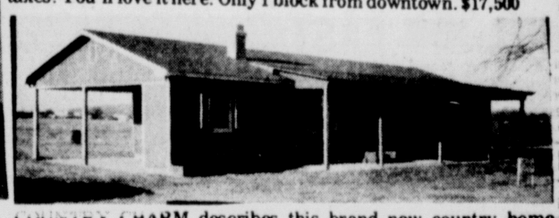
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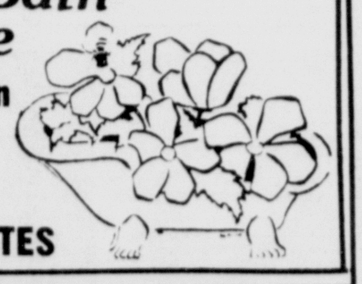


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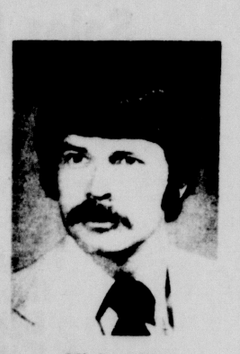
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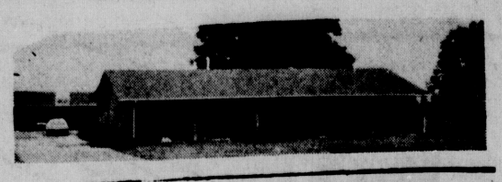


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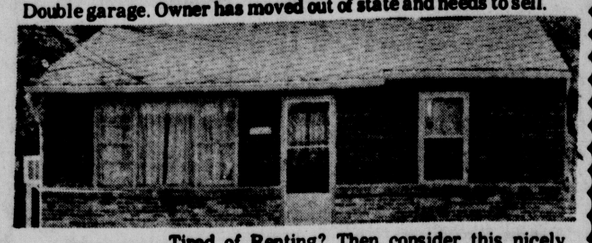
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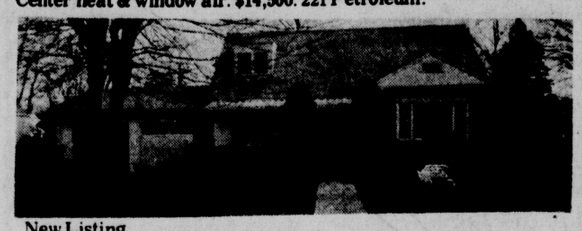
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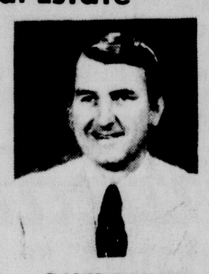
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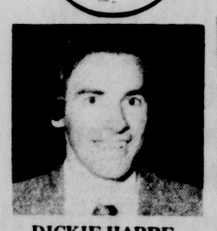
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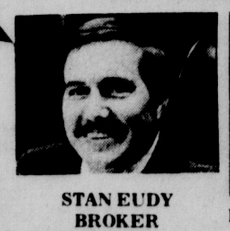
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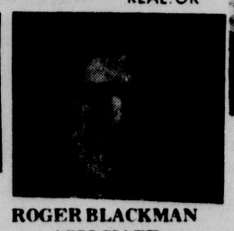
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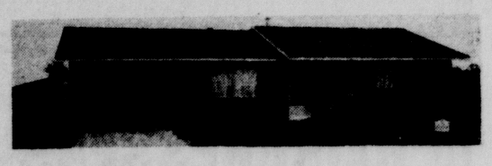
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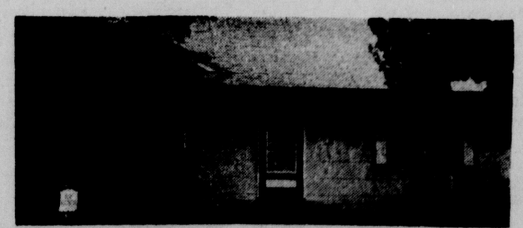
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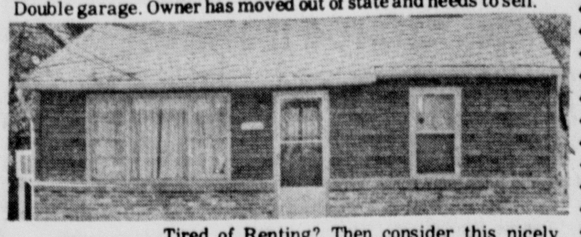
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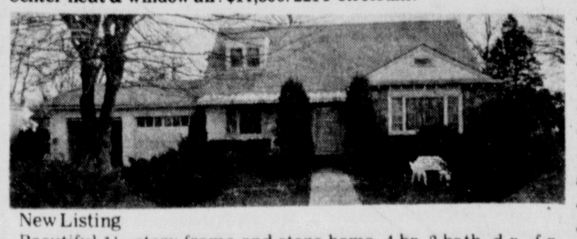
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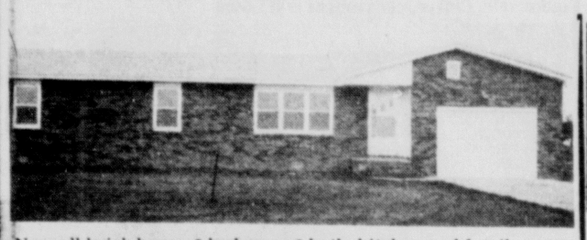
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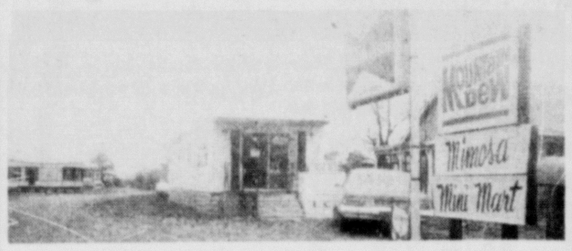
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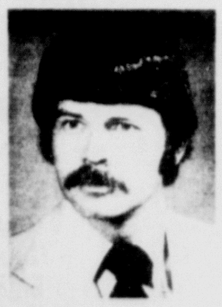
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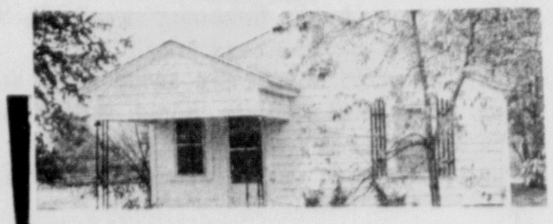
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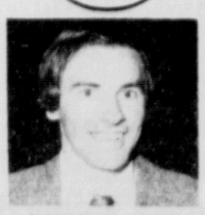
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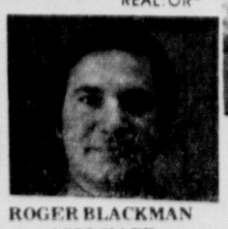
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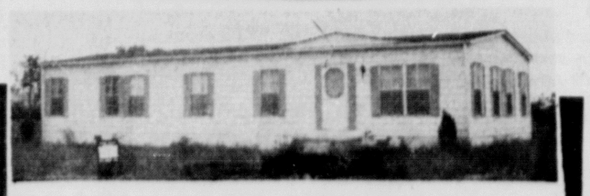
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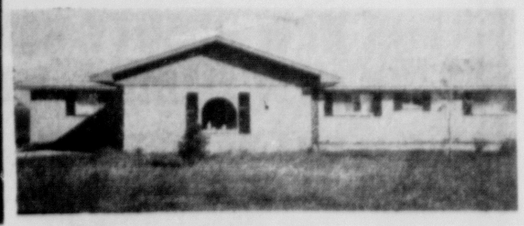
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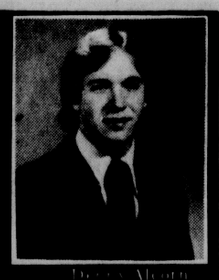
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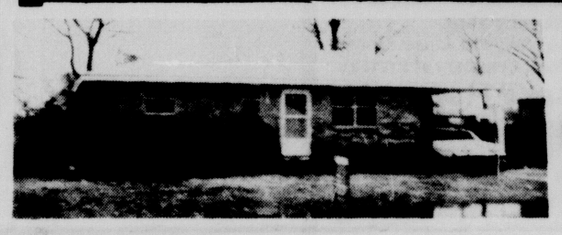
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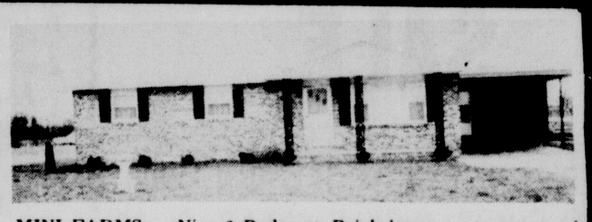
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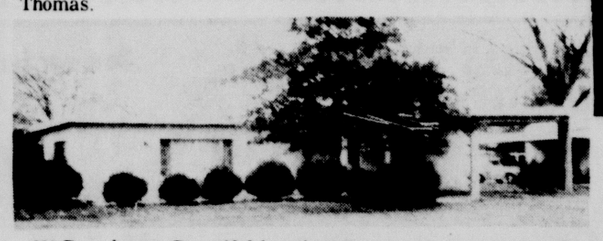


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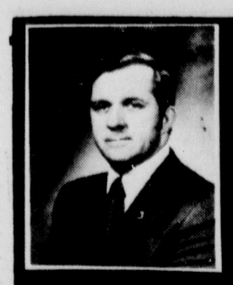
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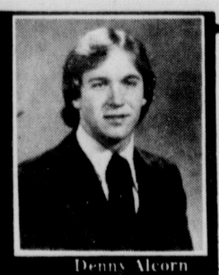
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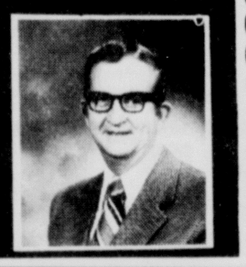
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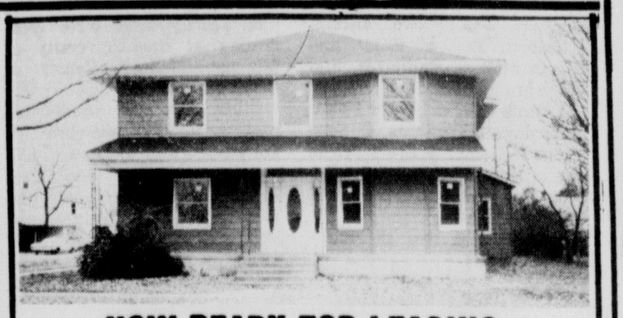
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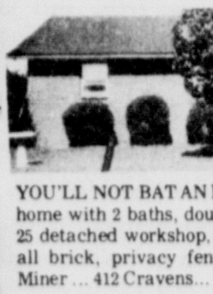


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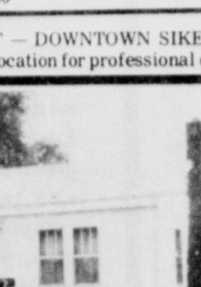
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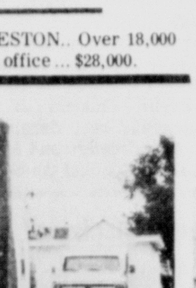
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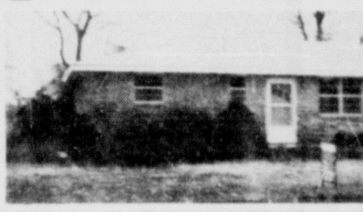
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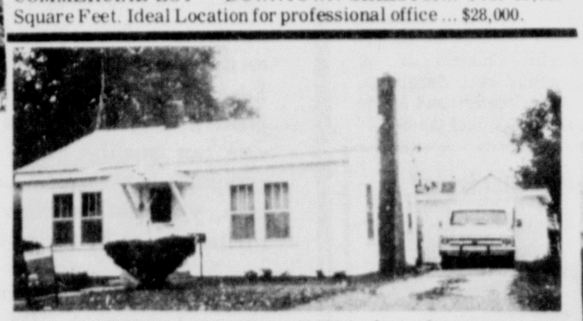
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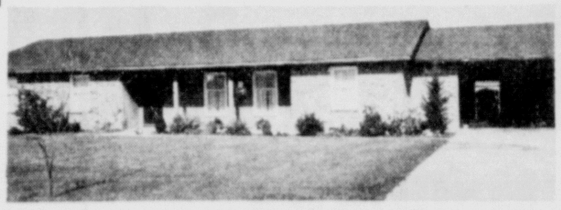
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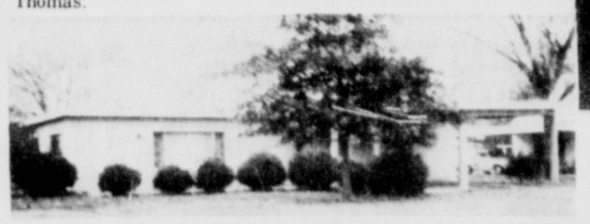


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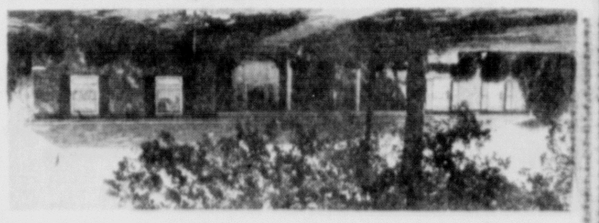


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I love everybody and my brother does too.

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Have a happy Christmas.

from Marty Garner

P.S. I want to meet Rudolph the Red-nosed reindeer! I will not laugh at him.

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Dear Santa,

My name is Angie Fortner and I am almost 9 years old. I have tried to be good all year, but I think I forgot sometimes.

On Christmas Eve please bring me an Artomatic, a Mousetrap game, roller skates, Lots of Dots, a Twister game, and a pantsuit.

My brother Mark is almost 4 years old. He has been a stinker this year sometimes but I hope you bring him something anyway. Please bring him a Fun Tunnel, Stretch Armstrong, Steer and Go, Play Family Village, Motorcycles, a Matchbox case, and Matchbox cars.

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Your friend,
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P.S. Don't forget my big brother. His name is Al Joseph Cummings II. He would like these things for Christmas:

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a bicycle

P.S.S. And please don't forget my Mommy, her name is Patricia Ann Cummings. But she is not very hard to please. Also my Grandma and Grandpa Smith.

Yours truly,
Jessica Cummings
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a fire engine

P.S.S. Please don't forget my Mommy & Daddy, their names are Louis and Loretta Gavi. And they would like a robe for daddy and a pair of P.J.s with feet in them for my mommy.

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My name is Sammy Clayton Slipis but my grandpa calls me mud dobber. I soon will be 2 years old and I have been a good boy. Please bring me a spin top and some pop up toys. Thank you Santa.

I love you
Sammy Clayton Slipis
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Dear Santa,

My name is Eric! I am 4 year old.

I have been a good boy this year.

I have three brothers Mike, Phillip & Stan.

Would you please bring me a cowboy suit and gun.

Thank you
Love Eric Cook
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My name is Corey. I am in the second grade.

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I love you
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Please remember my sister Tonja, and all my friend Brantly, Christy, Alisha, Sara, Justin, Jan, Todd, Laura, Kectria,

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I didn't tell you but I am 6 years old and I'm in first grade and my teacher is Mrs. Cubaotn, I go to Kelly School. I didn't really write this my brother Rodney did. Well I'll let you go and write you again next year, so so long!

Love
Tina Milam
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Dear Santa,

My name is Amy Dodson and I am two years old. I have been a pretty good girl this year and I can hardly wait until Christmas.

I would like a Happy Baby doll, a bicycle, a toy box and anything else you want me to have.

Please remember all the needy children, my Mamma & Pappa Blaylock, my cousin Jill, my brother Dewayne Jr., mommy and especially daddy 'cause he's the best daddy in the whole world.

I'll leave my stocking out Christmas and I promise to share with my little brother.

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I love you
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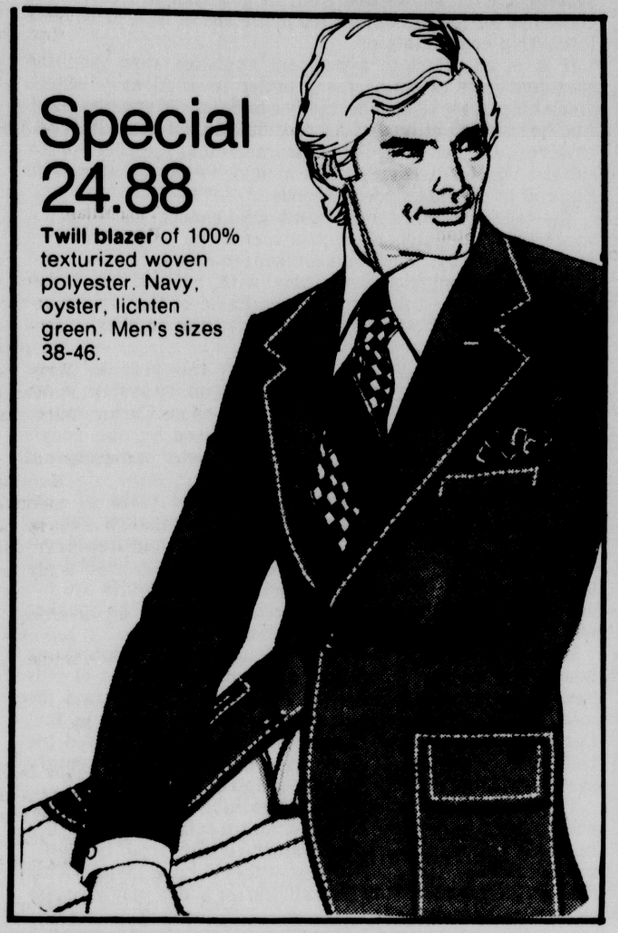
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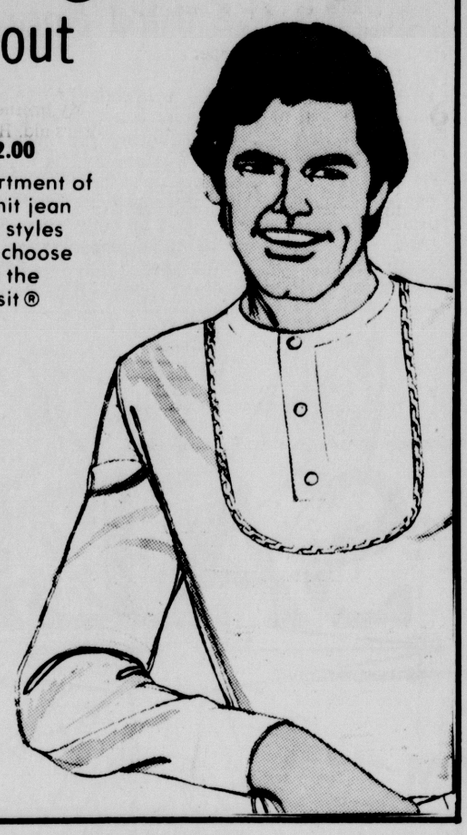
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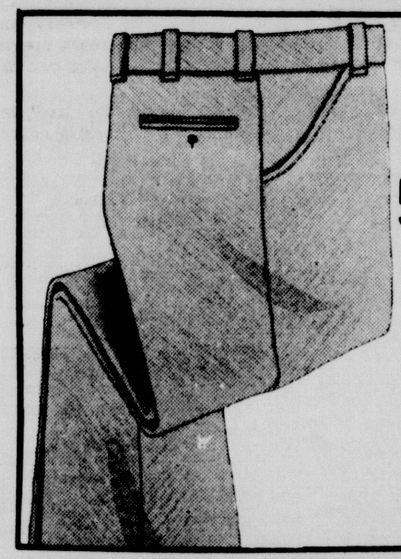
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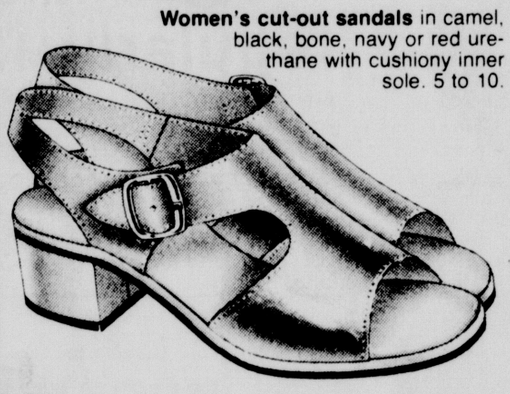


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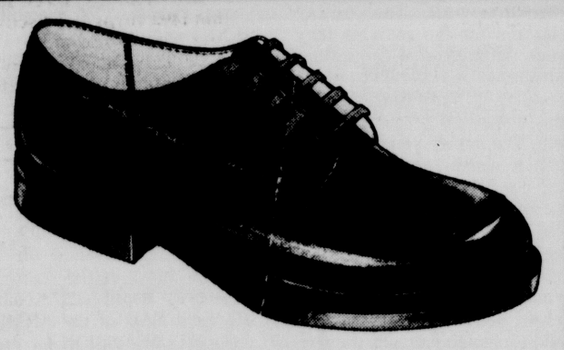
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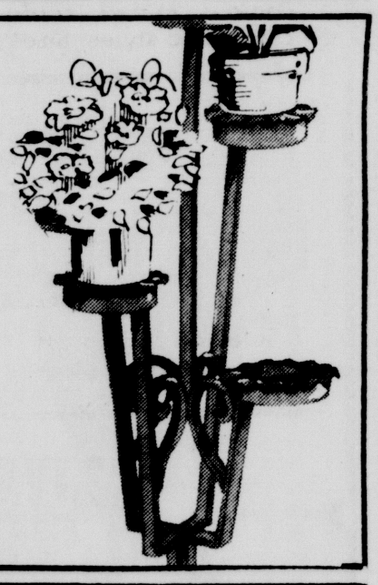


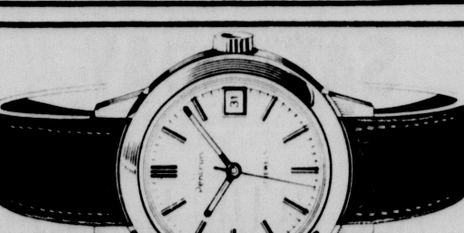
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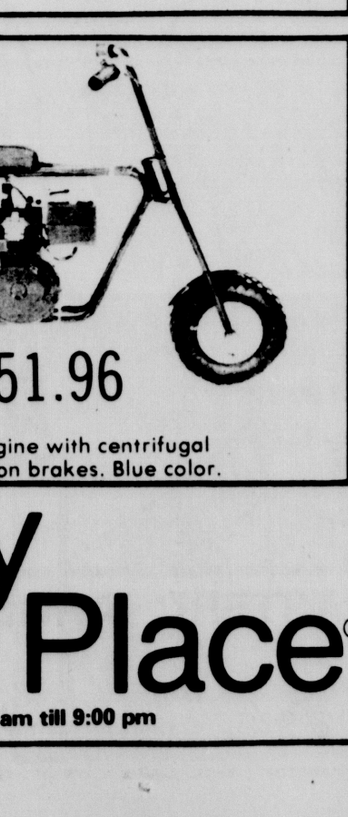
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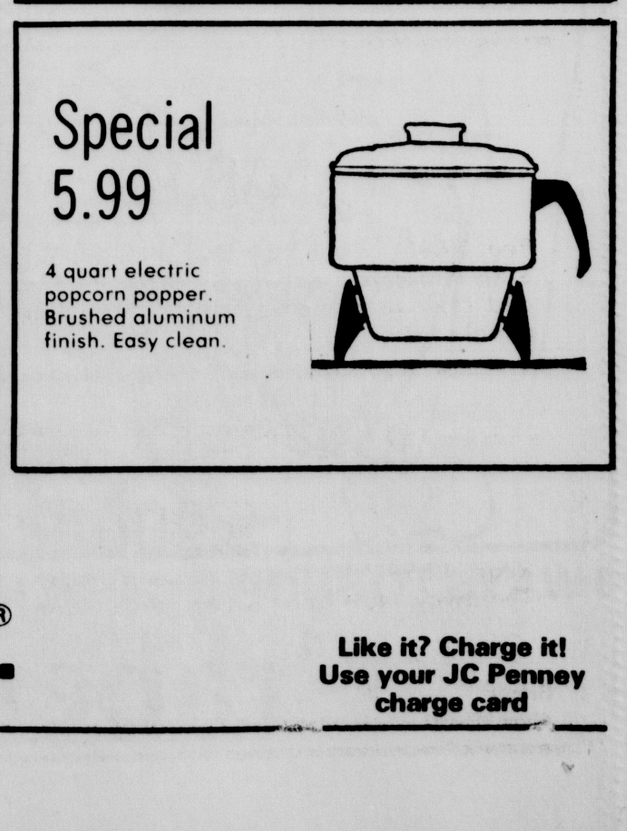
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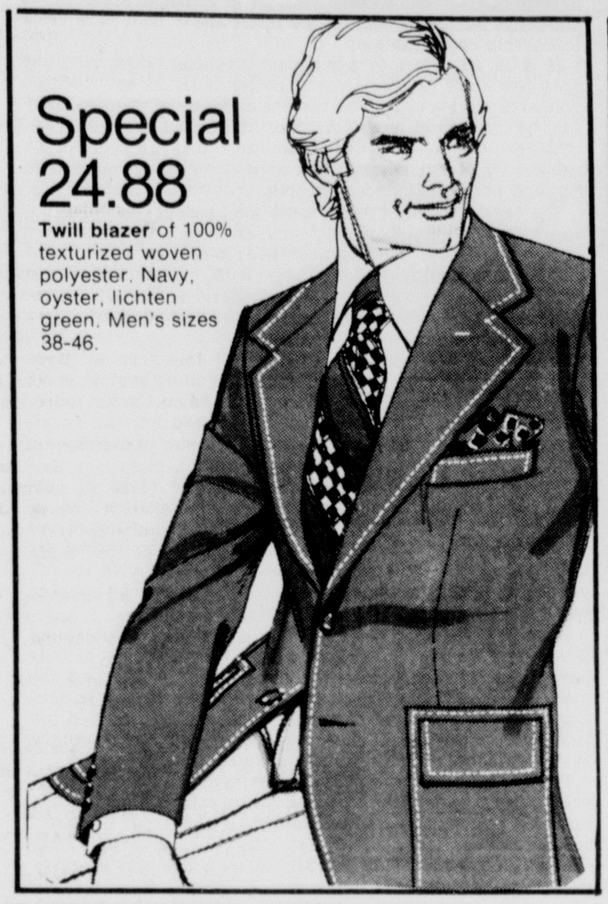
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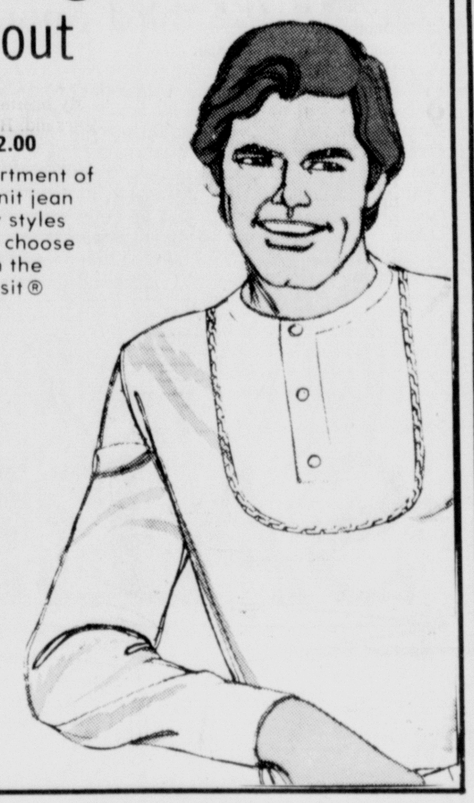
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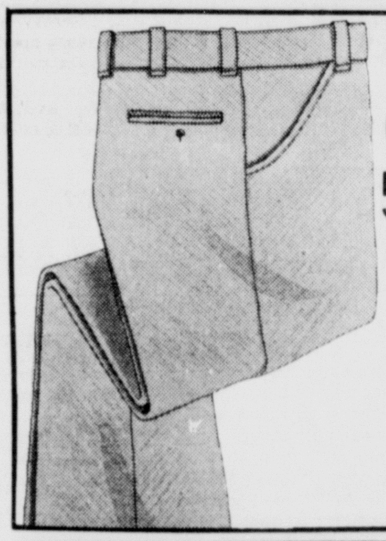


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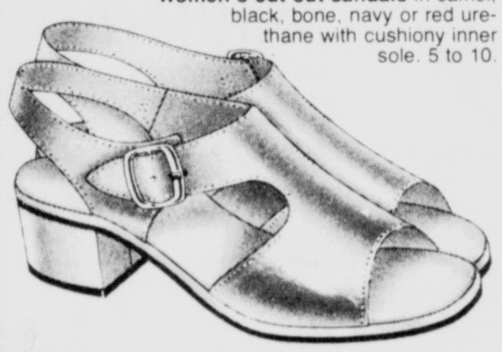
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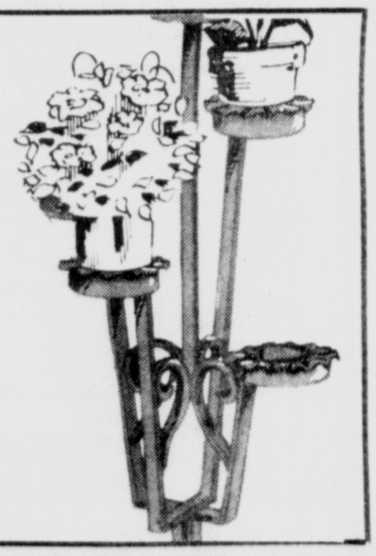
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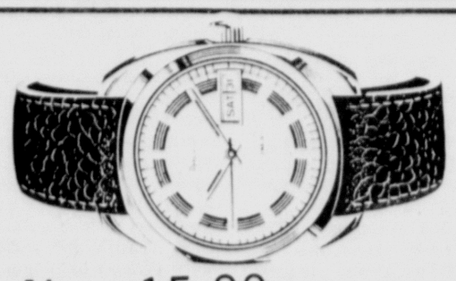
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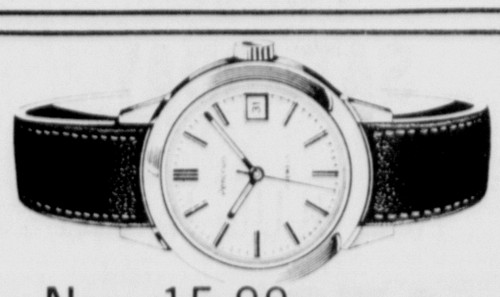


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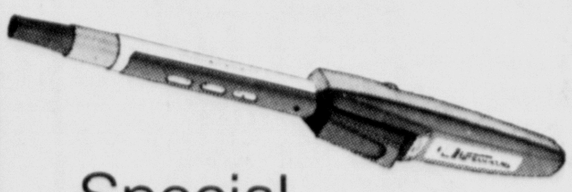




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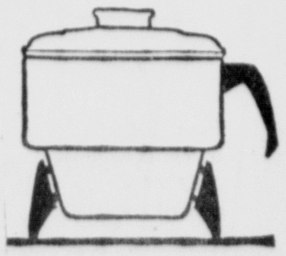
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University presidents charge that the formula places a low ceiling on state appropriatins and that the distribution of money does not adequately reflect enrollment increases.

But the most persistent complaint is that the board continues to show favoritism to the University of Missouri by recommending budget increases inconsistent with the formula — and that this favoritism overshadows other problems with the formula.

"The main problem is that the board approved formula guidelines at its October meeting, but then came back in November and changed those guidelines to satisfy the University of Missouri," said Don Petry, executive vice president of Northwestern Missouri State University.

"No formula is worth the paper it's written on if it's not applied the same to each institution. The board was playing games to give the University more money simply because the board members thought it needed more.

"They made the formula a farce. Inequities appeared and favoritism was shown," he said.

John Biggs, the board's fiscal affairs committeee chairman, said he thought the University should have been considered separately from other state universities in some applications of the formula because of its size and scope. He also said he did not think favoritism was shown to the University.

University interim president James Olson said he was not totally satisfied with the board's recommendations, since the University's budget was cut more than $8 million. Olson said he intends to ask the General Assembly for full funding of the University's $147.8 million request for the coming fiscal year.

The board's recommendation to fund more than $25,000 for upkeep of the University's Hearnes Multipurpose Building prompted a heated debate among state university executives.

Petry said the decision to fund the Hearnes building was "stretching the formula. I think it is serious when Hearnes has a higher priority than utility increases and library needs at other institutions. NWMSU had a special need for $100,0p0 to meet utility increases, but this wasn't even considered by the board," he said.

Three state university presidents said they were "surprised" by the decision to fund the Hearnes building. "It had been our understanding that such structures were not to be funded by the state," said Duane Meyer, president of Southwest Missouri State University. "If the state is going to begin funding this type of building, then I feel it should begin for all institutions. We have a multipurpose building, too," he said.

However, Boggs said the decision to fund Hearnes did not represent a change in board policy. "We found that the fees and regular allowances for the maintenance of Hearnes came nowhere near covering the maintenance costs of the building," he said.

"The Hearnes building is totally different in size and scope from other multipurpose biildings. It has been our policy in the past not to fund recreational facilities, and this is still our policy. The Hearnes buildng is an exception in the policy, not a change," he said.

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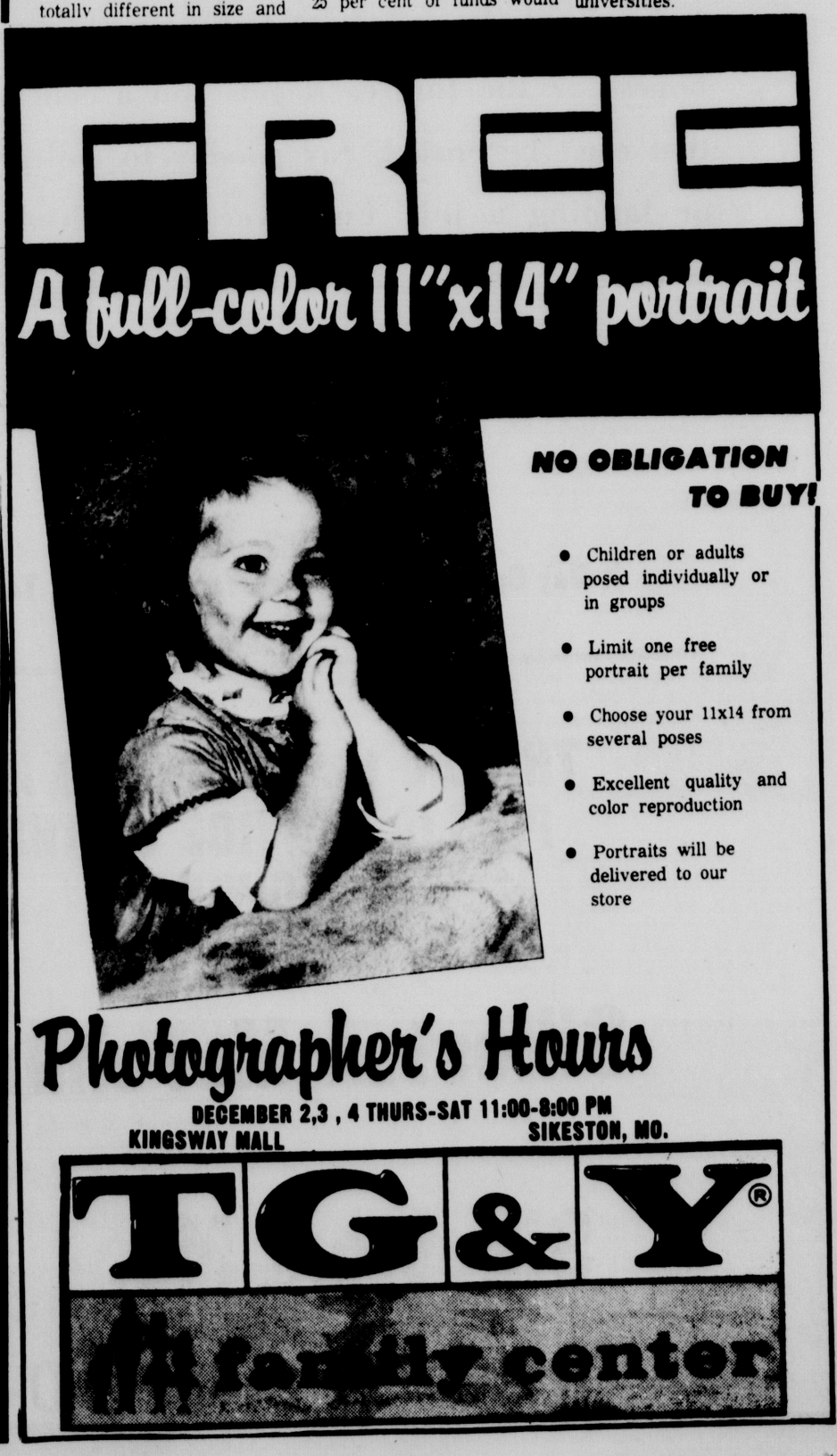
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"The main problem is that the board approved formula guidelines at its October meeting, but then came back in November and changed those guidelines to satisfy the University of Missouri," said Don Petry, executive vice president of Northwestern Missouri State University.

"No formula is worth the paper it's written on if it's not applied the same to each institution. The board was playing games to give the University more money simply because the board members thought it needed more.

"They made the formula a farce. Inequities appeared and favoritism was shown," he said.

John Biggs, the board's fiscal affairs committeee chairman, said he thought the University should have been considered separately from other state universities in some applications of the formula because of its size and scope. He also said he did not think favoritism was shown to the University.

University interim president James Olson said he was not totally satisfied with the board's recommendations, since the University's budget was cut more than $8 million. Olson said he intends to ask the General Assembly for full funding of the University's $147.8 million request for the coming fiscal year.

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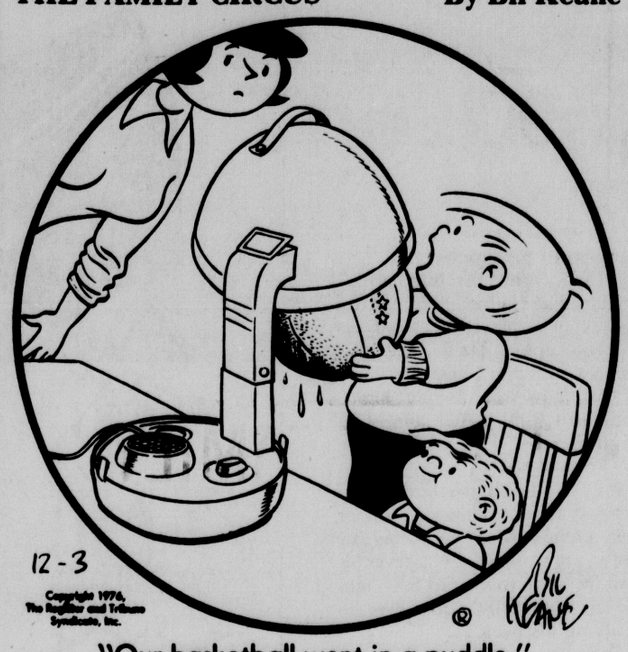
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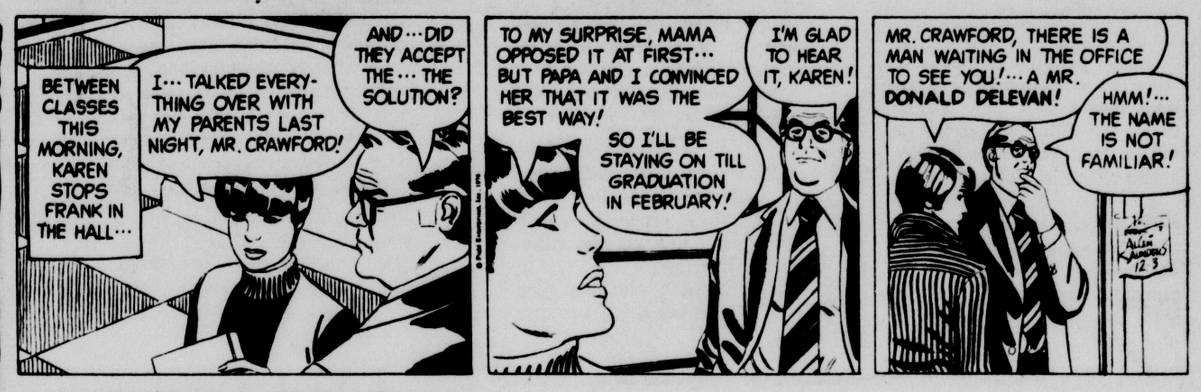


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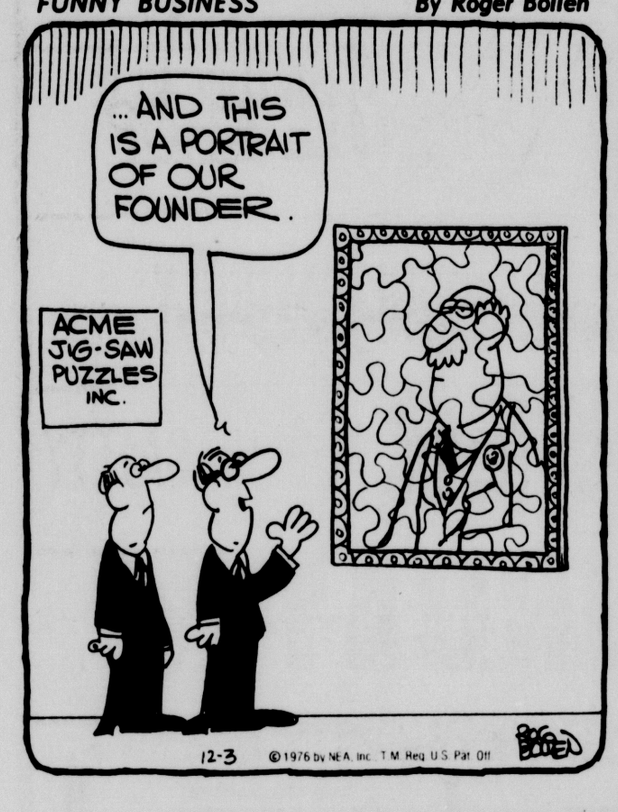


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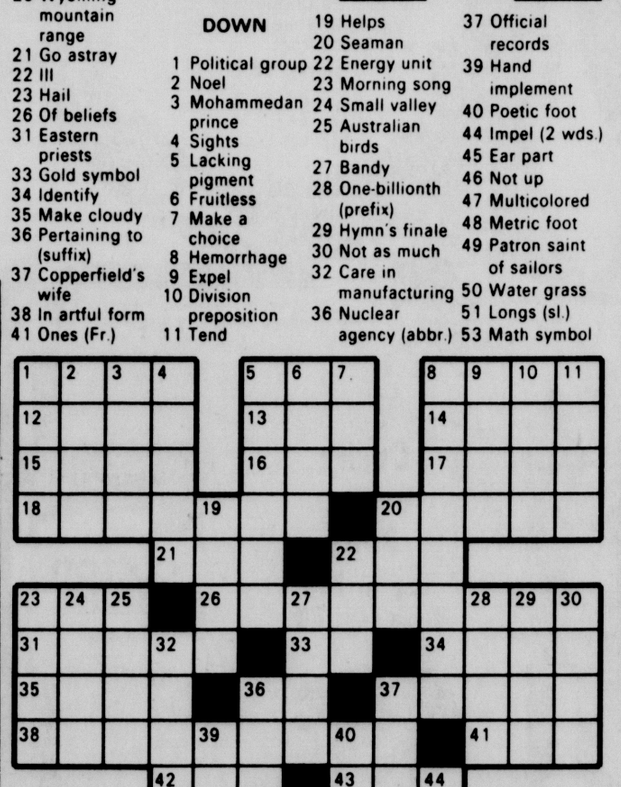


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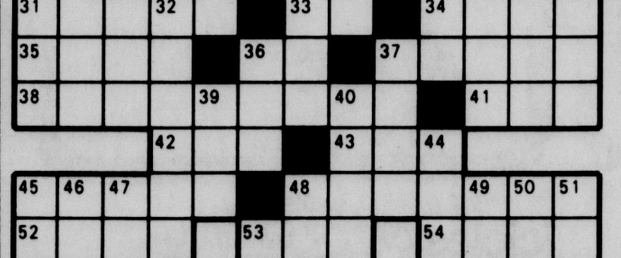
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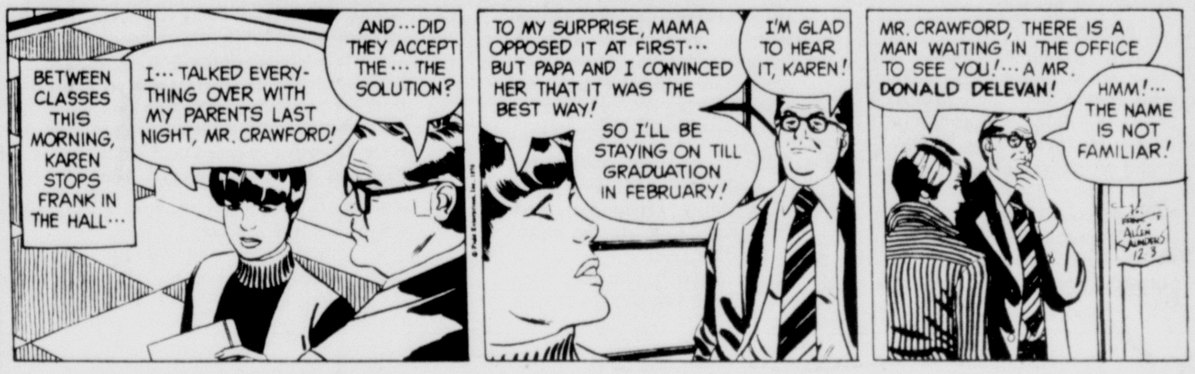


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2 Look	32 Possible	62 Conseauences
3 A	33 Loss	63 The
4 Take	34 Fine	64 Bits
5 Natural	35 To	65 Together
6 You	36 Money	66 Message
7 Charm	37 Promise	67 Vital
8 Behind	38 Opportunity	68 Across
9 Discard	39 Visions	69 Answers
10 Enables	40 May	70 To
11 Get	41 Children	71 Make
12 Glimpse	42 Be	72 Them
13 Find	43 Possibilities	73 New
14 Things	44 Imaginative	74 Spirits
15 You	45 Worry	75 And
16 New	46 Be	76 Popularity
17 Way	47 Through	77 Start
18 Cheer	48 Will	78 In
19 Up!	49 Offered	79 Good
20 Of	50 You	80 Keep
21 The	51 Appreciate	81 Going
22 Pie-in-sky	52 Unexpected	82 Protect
23 Of	53 For	83 Is
24 Your	54 In	84 Creative
25 Easy	55 Discipline	85 Automobile
26 Scenes	56 Fire	86 Fortune
27 Getting	57 About	87 Win
28 Lift	58 Or	88 Promised
29 Future	59 Piece	89 Sense
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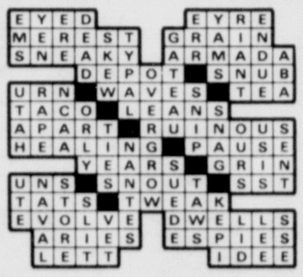
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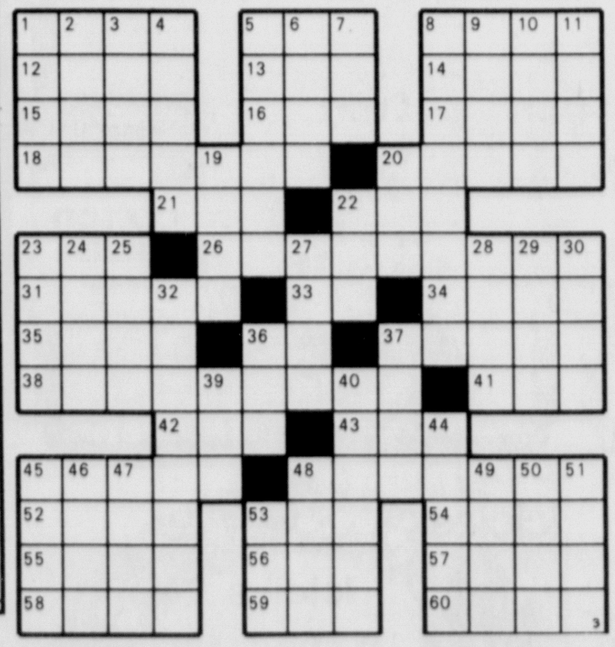
1 Parting salutation
5 Macao coin
8 Seethe
12 Nubble
13 Track circuit
14 Crescent
15 Jumbled medley
16 Morsel
17 This (Sp.)
18 Positive
20 Wyoming mountain range
21 Go astray
22 Ill
23 Hail
26 Of beliefs
31 Eastern priests
33 Gold symbol
34 Identify
35 Make cloudy
36 Pertaining to (suffix)
37 Copperfield's wife
38 In artful form
41 Ones (Fr.)
42 Olympic board (abbr.)
43 Broke bread
45 Fail in duty
48 Allusion
52 Newspaper notice (abbr.)
53 Light touch
54 Joy
55 Pub beverage
56 Large bird
57 Foreboding
58 Swirl
59 Pounds (abbr.)
60 Bobs head

Answer to Previous Puzzle



DOWN

1 Political group
2 Noel
3 Mohammedan prince
4 Sights
5 Lacking pigment
6 Fruitless
7 Make a choice
8 Hemorrhage
9 Expel
10 Division preposition
11 Tend
19 Helps
20 Seaman
22 Energy unit
23 Morning song
24 Small valley
25 Australian birds
27 Bandy
28 One-billionth (prefix)
29 Hymn's finale
30 Not as much
32 Care in manufacturing
36 Nuclear agency (abbr.)
37 Official records
39 Hand implement
40 Poetic foot
44 Impel (2 wds.)
45 Ear part
46 Not up
47 Multicolored
48 Metric foot
49 Patron saint of sailors
50 Water grass
51 Longs (sl.)
53 Math symbol



ALLEY OOP by Grave



CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence



PEANUTS by Schulz



THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod



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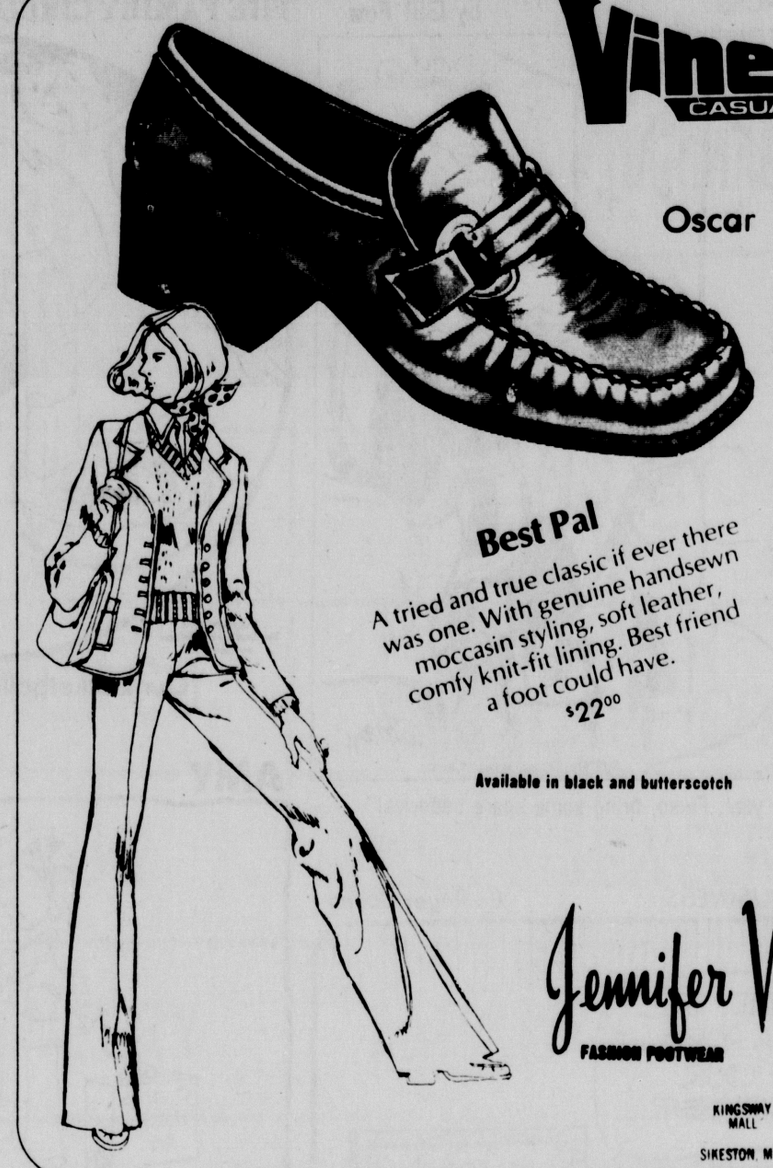
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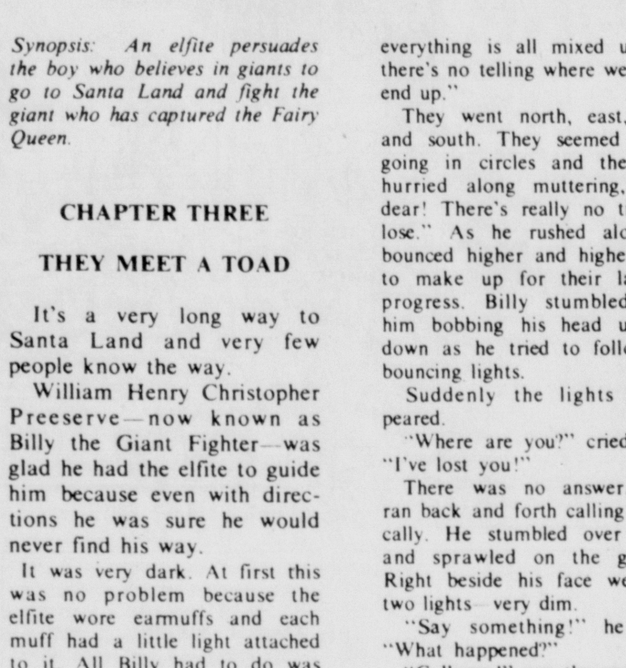
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